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YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS
FOR NEW ENGLAND

At our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 29th of the 11th Month 1779 The Several Meeting called their Representitives. So Kingstown none Appearing for Hopkinton Sarah Rathbun and Sarah Sheffield present, the Choosing of Elders and Visiters is Referred to next Monthly Meeting Mary Dockray hath Sent in a Paper Condemning her Misconduc which is Referrd. to the Next Monthly Meeting, The Business of Ruth Gorton is Referrd. to the Next Monthly Meeting The friends Appointed to Treat With Sarah Collins makes return that she refuses to make Sattisfaction for her Transgression that Matter is referrd. to Next Monthly Meeting.

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held Richmond the 27th of the 12th Mo. 1779 the Severall Meeting being Calld. their Representitives are for South Kingstown none for Hopkinton Mehetabel Collins and Mary Wilbur, The Choosing of Elders and visiters is Referrd. to Next Monthly Meeting, The Business of Mary Dockray and Ruth Gorton is Referrd. to the Next Monthly Meeting, this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilbur & Sarah Rathbun to Draw a Denial against Sarah Collins & Bring it to the Next Monthly Meeting. An Epistle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Read Approvd. of and Signd. —

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 31st of the first Month 1780 the Several Meetings being Calld. their Representitives are for South Kingstown none Appearing for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Susannah Collins present — The Choosing of Elders and visiters is Referrd. to the next Monthly Meeting, The Business of Mary Dockray and Ruth Gorton is Referrd. to the Next Monthly Meeting, Sarah Rathbun makes Return that the Denial of Sarah Collins was Drawn According to Appointment but the Bringing of it to this was Omitted, ~ Receivd. an Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting which was read to good Sattisfaction. —

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 29th of the Second Month 1780 the Several Meetings being calld. their Representitives are for So Kingstown none Appearing for Hopkinton Susannah Collins and Sarah Sheffield Present

The Chooſing of Elders and Viſitors, The Buſineſs of Mary Dockray an Ruth Gorton is Referr.d to the Next Monthly Meeting, the Denial of Sarah Collins was read Approv.d of and Sign.d in this Meeting Mary Wilbur is Appointed to read it in a first day Meeting and Make return to the next Monthly Meeting, —

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 27.th of the 3.d Month 1780. the Several Meetings being Call.d their Repreſentitives are for S.o Kingstown Catherine Knowles & Lucianna Rodman for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Sarah Rathbun the Chooſing of Elders and viſitors the Buſineſs of Mary Dockray and Ruth Gorton is Referr.d to next Monthly Meeting, The friend that was Appointed ~~to~~ to read the Denial of Sarah Collins in a first day Meeting makes Return that She has perform that Service (The Denial)

Sarah Congdon and Anne Perry is appointed to Treat with Ruth Gorton for her going to a Weding after the Manner of the world, and make return to the next Monthly Meeting Sarah Babcock Daughter of Joseph of Richmond inform this meeting that She has a Desire to be under friends Care which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Hannah Hoxsie and Mary Knowles to Enquire into her life and Converſation and make return to the next Monthly Meeting an Epistle was Drawn up to Send to the Quarterly Meeting the Queries was read and Answers thereto Mehetabel Collins is Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting —

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown the first day of the 5.th Mo.th 1780 the Several Meetings being Call.d their Repreſentitives are for S.o Kingstown none Appearing for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Susannah Collins present, Hannah Hoxsie and Mary Knowles makes Return that they have made Enquiry into the Life and Converſation of Sarah Babcock and find nothing to hinder her being being taken under friends Care, Receiv.d an Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting held at East Greenwich which was read to good Satiſfaction the Buſineſs is referr.d to Next Monthly Meeting

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at S.o Kingstown the 29.th of the 5.th Mo.th 1780 the Several Meetings being call.d

Call: their Representitives Appearing are for So. Kingstown Catherine Parker and Luceanna Rodman for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Mehetabel Collins, The Choosing of Elders and visiters is referrd to the next Monthly Meeting Mary Dockray Sent in apaper Condemning her past Conduct which this Meeting Approves of and Appoints Catherine Parker to read it in afirst day Meeting where She Belongs, The Business of Ruth Gorton is referrd to the next Monthly Meeting, Sarah Babcock is Admited a Member of our Society. The above sd. Sarah Babcock had a Certificate to go to East Greenwich Monthly Meeting

At Our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown the 26th of the 6th Mo. 1780 The Several Meetings being Calld their Representitives are for So. Kingstown Catherine Parker and Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Sarah Sheffield The Choosing of Elders and Visitors is referrd to the next Monthly Meeting the friend that was Appointed read the paper Concerning Mary Dockray Makes Return that She has Performd. that Service. The Business of Ruth Gorton is referrd to the next Monthly Meeting, South Kingstown Preparative Meeting Informs that Hannah Tanner widow Desires a Certificate to go to Newport Monthly Meeting this Meeting Appoints Catherine parker and Elizabeth Peckham to Enquire into her life and Conversation and make return to Next Monthly Meeting an Epistle to the Quarterly Meeting wth Answers to the Queries was Drawn Mehetabel Born Certificate that was Sent her was Sent Back Objected to. Catherine Parker and Elizabeth Peckham is appointed to Draw a Certificate and an Answer to ~~the Other~~ a Letter that friend Sent With the Certificate

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingstown the 31st of ye 7th Mo. 1780 the Several Meetings being Calld their Representitives are foo So. Kingstown Catherine Parker and Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkinton Catherine Collins and Mehetabel Collins, The Choosing of Elders referrd to Next Monthly Meeting Mary Wilbur and Sarah Rathbun is Appointed visitors for this Monthly Meeting, Catherine Parker and Elizabeth Peckham is Appointed to Treat with Ruth Gorton and if She refuseth to make

Satisfaction for her Transgression they are to Draw a Denial against the next
Monthly Meeting, A Certificate for Mehetabel Bowen and an Answer to
a Letter from friends at East hoosuck were both Signed to go to East hoosuck
or Saratoga Monthly Meeting. The friends Appointed to Enquire into the life
and Conversation of hannah Tanner make return that they find Nothing to
hinder her having a Certificate She has one Signd. An Epistle from the Quarte
-ly Meeting and one from the Yearly Meeting at Philadelphia was read to
good Satisfaction, a Certificate was Signed for Joseph Congdon and Wife &
Some of his Children the Names of his Daughters are Phebe, Sarah, Mary
and Susannah Receivd. a few lines from New Port Monthly Meeting Certifying
that John Dockrays Daughters were under friends Care and as Such they
Recommended them to Our care,

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingstown ye 28th of ye
Eighth Month 1780 the Several Meetings being calld. their Representitives are
for So. Kingstown Catherine parker and Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkinton
Ann Hopsie and Mary Willbur, Present, Choosing of Elders is
Referd. to the Next Monthly Meeting. The friends that was Appointed to
Treat with Ruth Gorton have not made Return, Receivd. a few lines from
Newport Monthly Meeting to Certify that Hannah Sanford and Elizabeth
Segar Now Elizabeth Potter is under their care and as Such they Recom
mend to us, Mary Oatly has Sent a few lines to Desire friends to Assist
her in geting Some Cloathing for winter an Epistle was Read from the
Yearly Meeting in Pensilvania and one from the Yearly Meeting
at London to good Satisfaction —

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingstown the 25
of the 9th Moth 1780 the Several Meetings being Calld. their Representitives
are for So. Kingstown Catherine Parker and Mary Oatly for Hopkinton
Mary Willbur and Susannah Collins All present the Choosing of
Elders is Suspendd. untill the first Month. Ruth Gorton Refuseth
to Make Satisffaction for her Transgression friends do put her from
under their Care untill She return and repent which we Desire She may
Friend, that have Contributed to the present Necessityes of Mary Oatly,
Catherine Parker and Elizabeth Peckham is Appointed to Draw a
Denial against Ruth Gorton to be read in a first day Meeting —
So. Kingstown Preparative Meeting Informs that Martha —
Kinyon hath Transgressed in Marrying out from among friends

Mary Wilbur and Sarah Rathbun is Appointed to Treat with her for her outgoings and make return to the next Monthly Meeting Susannah Collins Requests a Certificate to go to Saratoga Monthly Meeting She has one Granted, and Signd in this Meeting Receivd a Certificate for Hannah Knowles and her Daughter Hannah from Smithfield Monthly Meeting, An Epistle from the yearly Meeting held at Newport was read to good Satisfaction the Queries was read and Answers thereto an Epistle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting wth Answers to the Queries,

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 30th of 10th Month 1780 the Several Meeting being Calld their Representitives are for So Kingstown Catherine Parker and Lucianna Rodman for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Sarah Rathbun all present. The friends Appointed to Draw up a Denial against Ruth Gorton have performed that Service, the friends Appointed to Treat wth Martha Kinyon make return that they find her willing to Condemn her Transgression Mary Wilbur and Sarah Rathbun is Appointd to Assist her in Drawing up a paper Condemning her Marrying out from among friends Sarah Congdon and Sarah Gorton is Appointed to Treat wth Elizabeth Potter and Mary Potter for their Marrying out from among friends and make return to the next Monthly Meeting. Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Hannah Collins Daughter of Catherine Collins widow hath Transgressd against the good Order of friends, in keeping Company with one of Another Society altho She hath been Labourd on that Account she Still persists and is published in the Baptist Meeting for which friends do put her from under their care and Appoints Mary Wilbur & Sarah Rathbun to Draw up a paper of Denial Against her against the Next Monthly Meeting the Denial of Ruth Gorton was Signed in this Meeting Sarah Congdon is Appointed to Read the Same in a first day Meeting So Kingstown preparative Meeting Informs that Mary Cattey is uneasy wth her Situation and Desires friends would move her in to Some friends Family Catherine parker and Sarah Gorton is Appointed a Comto to Join the Mens Comto in that Matter, John Congdon and Alice Knowles Appeard in this Meeting and Declard their Intentions of Taking each Other in Marriage which this Meeting Takes Notice of and Desires

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them to Wait 'tell the Next Monthly Meeting for their Answer Catherine Parker and Lucianne Rodman is Appointed to Enquire into the young womans Clearness respecting Mariage and make return to next Monthly Meeting

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 27th of the 11 Month 1780 the Several Meetings being Called their representitives are for S.o Kingstown Catherine Knowles and Lucianne Rodman for Hopkinton none present the Business of Martha Kenyon is refer.d to next Monthly Meeting The friends Appointed to Treat w.th Mary Potter and Elizabeth make return that they find them Willing to Condemn their Transgression that Matter is refer.d to the Next Monthly Meeting. The friends Appointed to Draw a Denial of Hannah Collins has perform.d that Service. the Denial of Ruth Gorton was read According to Appointm.t (The Denial)

The friends Appointed to Enquire into Alice Knowles Clearness Concerning Marriage make return that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding therein John Congdon and Alice Appear.d in this Meeting and Declar.d they were of the same mind they were of Last Monthly Meeting Respecting Marriage and Desire an Answer they are Allowed to proceed therein they keeping to the good Order of Truth prescrib.d in that case receiv.d an Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting which was read to good Satisfaction the Denial of Hannah Collins was Signed in this Meeting Sarah Robinson is Appointed to read the Same at the end of a first day Meeting where She Did belong

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 1st of the 1st Mo.th 1781 the Several Meetings being Call.d their Representitives are for S.o Kingstown Bathsheba Knowles & Sarah Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Mehetabel Collins The Business of Martha Kenyon is refer.d to the next Monthly Meeting the Business of Mary Potter and Elizabeth Potter is refer.d to the next Monthly Meeting the friend Appointed to read the Denial of Hannah Collins in the first day Meeting makes return that

She has perform^{d} that Service (the Denial)

S^{o} Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Johnson Desires to be under friends Care Mary Wilbur and Hannah Hoxsie is Appointed to Treat wth her on that Account and make return to the next Monthly Meeting Rec^{d} a Certificate for Sarah Nichols from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting the Choosing of Elders was Suspend^{d} to this time and is now Suspended until the 5th Month an Epistle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting wth Answers to the Queries —

At Our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 29th of y^{e} 5th Month 1781 the Several Meeting being Call^{d}, their Representitives are for S^{o} Kingstown None for Hopkinton Sarah Rathbun & Sarah Sheffield; Martha Kinyon has Sent in a paper Condemning her Marrying Out Unity Also her Attending the Separate Meeting Which is referr^{d} to the Next Monthly Meeting, the Business of Mary and Elizabeth Potter is referr^{d} to the Next Monthly Meeting the Friend that Was Appointed to visit Elizabeth Johnson have made no Report, that Matter is referr^{d} to the Next Monthly Meeting

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 26th of the 2^{d} Month 1781 the Several Meetings being Call^{d} their Representitives are for S^{o} Kingstown none for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Mehitabel Collins both present the Business of Elizabeth and Mary Potter is referr^{d} to Next Monthly Meeting and that of Martha Kinyon is referr^{d} to Next Monthly Meeting the friend Appointed to Enquire into the life and Conversation of Elizabeth Johnson makes Return that they find her in Some Degree Orderly She is Admitted a Member of Our Society the Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting was read to good Satisfaction

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 26th of 3d Mo. 1781 the Several Meetings being calld. their Representitives are for So. Kingstown Catherine Parker & Hannah Rodman for Hopkinton Catherine Collins & Mary Wilbur, all present the Business of Elizabeth and Mary Potter is Referd. to the Next Monthly Meeting. this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilbur And Anne Perry to Return them the papers they Sent to the Monthly Meeting and to Inform them that friends were not Sattisfyed with them, The Business of Martha Kinyon is referd. to Next Monthly Meeting the Queries was read in this Meeting and Answers thereto also. A few lines was Wrote to Send to the Quarterly Meeting,

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingstown ye 30th of 4th Mo. 1781 the Several Meetings being Calld. their Representitives are for So. Kingstown Anne Perry and Sarah Rathbun for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Susannah Collins all present this Meeting Appoints Sarah Rathbun in the Room of Mary Wilbur to Assist Anne Perry in visiting Elizabeth and Mary Potter. to return them the papers and inform them that that friends is not Sattisfyed with them. Martha Kinyon Sent in a paper Condemning her Marrying Out of unity with friends also her Attendance of the Separate Meeting this Matter is referd. to Next Monthly Meeting. Sarah Collins Sent in a paper Condemning her keeping Company with one Not in unity with friends, Which friends Accepts and Appoints Mary Wilbur to Read it at the end of a first day Meeting. We Receivd. an Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting at Smithfield which was Read to Sattisfaction.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown the 28th of 5th Mo. 1781 the Several Meetings Being Calld. their Representitives Appearing are for So. Kingstown Sarah Gorton & Hannah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Catherine Collins, & Mary Wilbur, The friends that was Appointd. to visit Elizabeth and Mary Potter made no Return they are Desird. to perform that Service and Make Return to the Next Monthly Meeting The Business of Martha Kinyon is Referd. to Next Monthly Meeting the friend that was Appointed to read the paper Sarah Collings Sent in Condemning her Misconduct made report that She had performd. ye Service Friends are Willing to Contribute to the Necessities of Mary Oatly as Soon as may be the Choosing of Elders is Suspended until the 8th Mo.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingstown the 25th of 6th Mo. 1781 the Several Meetings being Calld. their Representitives Appearing are for So. Kingstown Anne Perry and Susanna Rodman for Hopkinton Catherine Collins and Mary Wilbur the friends that was appointed to Treat with Elizabeth and Mary Potter Makes Return that they have performd. that Service and that they find them

Not of Disposition to Condemn their past Conduct theirs and the Buſineſs of Martha Kinyon is Referd. to the Next Monthly Meeting The Quaries was read and Answers prepard. An Epistle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting. —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingstown the 30th of 7th Mo. 1781 the Several Meetings being Calld. their Representatives Appearing are for So. Kingstown Bathsheba Knowles and Sarah Rathbun for Hopkinton Catherine Collins and Suſannah Collins the Buſineſs Concerning Martha Kinyon is referd. to the Next Monthly Meeting, Elizabeth Potter and Mary Potter has been Treated wth. they Still Refuse to make Sattiſfaction for their Out goings they are Denied any Longer a Right of Membership in Our Society, Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Rathbun is Appointed to Draw up a Denial of them Against the Next Monthly Meeting, Hopkinton preparative informs that Sarah Nichols requests a Certificate to Newport - Monthly Meeting which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Sarah Sheffield and Suſannah Collins to Enquire into their Life & Converſation and to Draw a Certificate for her if they think proper Against the Next Monthly Meeting, An Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting and One from the Yearly Meeting at Philadelphia was read to good Sattiſfaction we are again Reminded of Choosing of Elders from the Quarterly Meeting.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingstown the 27th of ye 8th Mon. 1781. the Several Meetings being Calld. the Representatives Appearing are for So. Kingstown Catherine Parker & Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Mehetabel Collins - The Buſineſs Concerning Martha Kinyon is Referd. to the next Monthly Meeting the friends that was Appointed to Draw the Denials of Elizabeth Potter and Mary Potter have performd. that Service these papers of Denials were both Signd. Elizabeth Peckham is Appoin to read them in a first day Meeting, A Certificate for Sarah Nichols was Signd. in this Meeting So. Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Rogers wife of Thomas Rogers requests that her Children be taken under the care of friends Mary Wilbur and Mehetabel Collins to join wth. the Mens Comtee. to Treat wth. them on that Acct. Alice Munro Wife of Nathan Condemns her Marrying out

From among friends Sarah Rathbun and Bathsheba Knowles is Appoin To Treat with her and Make report to the next Monthly Meeting. Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Congdon is Appointed to Enquire into the Circumstan of ~~Elizabeth~~ Elisha Sheffields Estate and to try to get aplace for one of his Daughters that is not provided for;

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown the 1st of 10th Mo. 1781 the severall Meetings being Call.d their Representatives appe-ring are for S. Kingstown Catherine Parker and Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkinton Catherine Collins & Mehetabel Collins the Business of Martha Kinyon is Referr.d to the Next Monthly Meeting the friend that was Appointed to read the Denials of Elizabeth Potter and Mary Potter makes Return that they have been read at a firstday Meeting. The friends that was Appointed to Treat wth Thomas Rogers & Wife by the request of his Wife Concerning his Children being under the care of friends makes Return that they find S. Rogers Willing that his Children Should be under the care of friends and the Children that are of Age Suitable Also Desires to be under Friends Care the Names of their Daughters are Anne, Zerviah, Elizabeth Amia and Mary. they are Admitted Members of Our Society The friends that was Appointed to Treat wth Alice Munro make Report that they find her Somewhat Tender and Willing to Condemn her past misconduct and has Sent in apaper Condemning the Same which has been Read in this Meeting which paper is Referr.d to the Next Monthly Meeting the friends that was Appointed to Enquire into the Circumstance of Elisha Sheffields Children make Report that there is none but what is Provided for at present Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Abigail Stoter Wife of Peter Stoter, and Elizabeth Tripp Daughter of Stephen Tripp Deceas.d Sarah Irish and Hannah Irish Daughters of John Irish have Transgressed in Not Attending Our Meetings and Also Attending the Meetings of the presbyterians which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Mary Wilbur and Susannah Collins to Join a Comtee of Men friends to Treat with them and make Return to Next Monthly Meeting; Mehetabel Collins requests afew lines by way of Certificate to go to Saratoga which was granted her an Epistle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting wth Answers to the Queries, Elizabeth Peckham and Hannah Hoxsie is Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting;

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond the 29th of ye 10th Moth 1781. the Several Meetings being Colld their Representitiv Appearing are for So Kingstown Sarah Knowles of John & Sarah Knowl ~~wife~~ of Jno Babcock. for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Susannah Collins The Business of Martha Kinyon is Referrd to next Monthly Meeting Mary Wilbur is Appointed to Acquaint her with it and Desire her to Attend then, the Business of Alice Munro is referrd to Next Monthly Meetg The friends that was Appointed to Join wth the mens Comtee to Treat wth Abigail States Elizabeth Tripp Sarah Irish, & Hannah Irish make Report that they find them not of a Disposition to Condemn their Transgression they are Denied therefore any longer a Right of Member Ship in our Society until they Shall make Satisfaction for their Out goings Sarah Rathbun and Sarah Congdon are Appointed to Draw the Denials agains Abigail States and Elizabeth Tripp for their Not Attending friends Meetings and for their Attending the Meetings of Other Societies and to Draw Denials of Sarah Irish and ~~Hannah Tripp~~ Hannah Irish for their Not Attending the Meetings of Friends and for Attending the Meetings of Other Societies and of their Attending of Marriages not of Friends the Choosing of Elders is Suspended until the 12th Month the Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting was read to good Satisfaction By the Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting we are Advised that our Representitives for the Quarterly Meeting make Return to the Monthly Meeting Whether they have performd their Service or not and Also Send their Reasons to the Quarterly Meeting if they Should fail of Attending it Choosing of Overseers for So Kingstown preparative Meeting is Referrd to Next Monthly Meeting.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 26th of 11th Moth 1781 the Several Meetings being Colld their Representitives Appearing are for So Kingstown Elizabeth Pettyes & hannah Knowles for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon & Mary Wilbar Elizabeth Pettyes Present Hopkinton preparative Meeting Informs that Mehetabel Smith Daughter of Richard Smith hath Transgressd friends Rules in Neglecting to Attend friends Meetings and Attending a Meeting Set up out of the unity of friends they Also Inform that Hannah Allen

Daughter of Joshua Allen Requests to be taken under friends Care acc which this Meeting takes Notice of and Refers til the next Monthly Meeting the friend that was Appointed to visit Martha Kinyon made no Return that Matter is Referrd to Next Monthly Meeting the Business of Alice Munro is referrd to the Next Monthly Meeting the friend that was Appointed to Draw the Denials for Sarah and Hannah Irish, Abigail States and Elizabeth Tripp made Return that they have performd that Service their Denials was Read and Approvd in this Meeting the Reading of them in a first day Meeting is Referrd til the Next Monthly Meeting the Choosing of Overseers for So Kingstown preparative Meeting is Referrd to Next Monthly Meeting the Mens Meeting Inform that they have Appointed John Knowles to the Station of an Elder & they Likewise inform that they have appointed Peter Hoxsie

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 31st of the 12th Mth 1781 the Several Meetings being calld their Representatives Appearing are for So Kingstown Hannah Hoxsie & Sarah Rathbun for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Sarah Sheffield Martha Kinyon Sent in a paper Condemning her Marrying out from among friends which friends Accepts of and Appoints Hannah Hoxsie to read the Same at the End of a first day Meeting where She belongs and Report to next Monthly Meeting Alice Munro hath Sent in a paper Condemning her Marrying out from among friends and Otherways Walking Disorderly which this Meeting Accepts of and Appoints Lucianna Rodman to Read the same at the End of a first day Meeting where She belongs & Report next Monthly Meeting the Denials of Abigail States Elizabeth Trip Sarah Irish & Hannah Irish was Signd in this

Meeting and Mary Wilbur is Appointed to Read them at the End of a first day Meeting where they did belong and Report next Monthly Meeting. The Choosing of Overseers for S^o Kingstown preparative Meeting is Recommended to that Meeting to Act upon. Mehitabel Smith Daughter of Richard Smith hath walked Disorderly in Attending Meetings that were not of friends and Not Attending friends Meetings Mary Wilbur and Sarah Sheffield are Appointed to Treat with her and to make Report next Monthly Meeting. Hannah Allen Daughter of Joshua Allen Desires to be under the Care of friends, Sarah Rathbun and Sarah Sheffield is Appointed to Treat with her on that Account and Report next Monthly Meeting S^o Kingstown Preparative Meeting Informs that Marcy Peckham Anna Bull and Mary Perry all Daughters of Marcy Perry Widow have a Right of Membership in our Society and have walked Disorderly in Marrying out from among friends and Otherways Sarah Rathbun and Sarah Congdon is Appointed to treat with them and Report next Monthly Meeting. Benjamin Hoxsie and Catherine Collins appeard in this Meeting and Declared their Intentions of Taking Each other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and Refers them to the next Monthly Meeting for an Answer Mary Wilbur and Sarah Sheffield is appointed to Enquire into Catherine Collins Clearness Concerning Marriage and Also to Enquire into the Rights of her Children and Report next Monthly Meeting The Querys & Answers was read in this Meeting & an Epistle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the the 28th of the first Month A^o 1782 the Several Meeting being Call. their Representitives Appearing are for S^o Kingstown Catherine Knowles ~~and Laurance Bodman~~ for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Susannah Collins The friend Appointed to Read Martha Kinyons Paper of Condemnation Reports that She has perform. that Service and Also the friend that was Appointed to Read the paper of Alice Munro Condemnation Reports that She has perform. that Service the friend that was Appointed to Read the Denial of Abigail Bates, Elizabeth Tripp. Sarah Irish & Hannah Irish made no Report.

To the Monthly Meeting of Women friends to be held at ~~Richmond~~ South Kingstown the 30th of the 5th Mo.th 1781, I have Transgressed in Marrying out of unity of friends and Also in frequenting the Meetings of the Se=perate for which I am Sorry and freely Condemn it being Contrary to the ~~good order~~ Rules amongst friends for which Offence I Desire friends forgiveness and that they would Continue me under their Watchfull care and hope I Shall be more Carefull for time to Come

Martha Kinyon

Dear friends having transgresst friends Rules by Marrying out and Otherways walking ~~Disorderly~~ Contrary to the Truth I do Sincerely Condemn the Same hoping to walk So as to be preserv'd from Every hurtfull thing for the future

North Kingstown the 11th of 9th Mo.th 1781 Alice Monro

The friends that was Appointed to Enquire into the clearness of Catherine Collins Respecting Marriage made Report that they find Nothing to hinder her proceeding Agreeable to the good order of Truth The friends that was Appointed to make Enquiry into the life and Conver=sation of Hannah Allen made no report, the friends that was Appointed to visit the Daughters of James Perry made no report. Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Abigail Collins Desires a Certificate of Removal to the Monthly Meeting of Saratoga; The Comtee that was Appointed to Treat with Mehetabel Smith made no Report Catherine Collins and Mary Wilbur is Appointed to make Enquiry if their is Nothing to Obstruct Abigail Collins Removal and if not to Draw a Certificate and bring it to next Monthly Meeting So Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Bathsheba Knowles and Sarah Rathbun are Nominated as Overseers which this Meeting has unity with, Our Clerk having Informd that our Book of Records was full Sarah Rathbun is Appointed to procure Another and bring it to Next Monthly Meeting We Receiv. a few lines from the Monthly Meeting of Men & Women friends held at Cranston for Greenwich the 7th of 1 Mo.th 1782 by Way of Certificate for Nicholas Bragg his

Wife and Children Except their Son Peleg Informing that they were in Some Degree Orderly, Benjamin Hoxsie and Catherine Collins Appeard in this Meeting for their Answer and we find Nothing to hinder their proceeding Agreeable to the good Order of Truth and Suſannah Collins & Mehetabel Collins are Appointed to See the Marriage Solemnized, We Receivd an Epistle from the Quarterly meeting of Women friends at Swanſey for Rhod Iſland which was Read to good Satiſfaction

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 25th of 12 Moth 1782 the Several Meeting being Calld their Representitives Appearing are for So Kingstown Bathsheba Knowles and Sarah Rathbun for Hopkinton ~~Catherine Hoxsie~~ and Sarah Sheffield all preſent Except Catherine Hoxſie the friend that waſs Appointed to read the Denials of Abigairl States Elizabth Trip and Sarah Triſh & Hannah Triſh Made report that She had Preformd that Servis the Friends that waſs Appointed to inquire into the Life and Converſation of Hannah Allen Made ~~return~~ Report that they find her to be of an Orderly Life and Converſation and a Steady attender of Meetings when her Situation will admit of it that matter is refered to the next monthly Meeting The friends Appointed to treat with Marcy Peckham & Anna Bull made report that Marcy Peckham Deſires to be Continued under friends Care and that Anna Bull had no Deſire to be under friends Care the friends that waſs Appointed to See the Marriage of Benjamin Hoxſie and Catherine Collins Conſumated made Report that it waſs Conducted Orderly Except Some Rude People which Diſturbed the Meeting the Friends Appointed to inquire into the Life of Mehetable Collins and Draw a Certificate for her to Go to Saratogue if they found nothing to Obſtruct Made Report that they have Preformed that Servis a Certificate for Abigairl Collins removeal waſs Signed to Go to Saratogue or East hoosuck Monthly Meeting Marcy Peckham is Continued under friends Care Anna Bull is Denied any Longer a rig of memberſhip in our Religious Society Sarah Rathbun wa was Appointed to Procure a Book for this Monthly Meetin which She has done the Committe that waſs Appointed to trea with Mehetable Smith has made no report Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informes that Deſire Bur wife of Nathaniel Bur and Hannah Cory wife of ~~Benjamin~~

Benjamin Cory and Daughters of Caleb Hazard have had a right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society and have tranſgreſsed the rules there of in removeing from a mong us without haveing a Certificate and Marrying out from among friends that matter is referd to the next monthly meeting the priſe of the book Purcheſed for this monthly Meeting is ℓs 1-4 which is expected to be raiſed by Contribution

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the first of the 4th Month 1782 the Several Meetings being Called their Representitives appearing are for South Kingstown Sarah Rathbun and Lucianna Rodman for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Suſannah Collins, Hannah Allen is Admitted a Member of our Society the Comtee that was Appointed to Treat with Mehetabel Smith made no Report they are Still continued for that Service, This, Meeting Appoints Sarah Rathbun and Luceanna Rodman to Write to friends Concerning Deſire Burr, & hannah Cory where they now reſide informing them of their Removal from among us and make return to the Next Monthly Meeting, The Choosing of Elders is Suspended til the 6th, Month, Hopkinton preparative Meeting Informs that Elizabeth Sheffield wife of Samuel Sheffield Desires to be under friends Care this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilbur and Suſannah Collins to Enquire into her life and Converſation and make Report next Monthly Meeting Sarah Rathbun Luceanna Rodman and Sarah Congdon is Appointed a Comtee to Examine the Records and Se if they Regulating and they are to Regulate them,

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingstown the 29th of 4th Moth 1782 the Several Meetings being Cale their Representitives Appearing are for South Kingstown Bathsheba Knowles and Luceanna Rodman for Hopkinton Mehetabel Collins and Suſannah Collins, The friends Appointed to Treat with Mehetabel Smith made no Report that matter is Referd to next Monthly Meeting the Comtee that was appointed to Write to friends Concerning Desire Burr and Hannah Cory made Report that they had to friends Concerning Desire Burr and forwarded the Same, Hannah Cory hath Married out from among friends and Remov'd not having a Certificate where She is not known among friends wherefore friends do put her from under their Care; The friends Appointed to Treat with Elizabeth Sheffield made no Report that Matter is Referd to next Monthly Meeting

Meeting the Com^{tee}. that was Appointed to Examine the Records made no Report they are Still Continued for that Service and Report Next Monthly Meeting, The friends Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting made Report that they had perform^{d}: that Service The Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting was Read to good Satisfaction, SouthKingstown preparative Meeting Informs that the Overseers have visited some of Our members that are Slack on Acc^{t} of Attending Meetings to Little or no purpose as to the Outward they Request this Meeting to take that matter into Consideration and if they think proper to Appoint a Com^{tee}: to Treat with them which this Meeting takes Notice of and Refers that Matter to the Next Monthly Meeting, Sarah Rathbun, Susannah Collins and Luceanna Rodman are Appointed a Com^{tee} to Join the Mens Com^{tee} in Enrolling the Names of the Members of Our Society that belongs to this Monthly Meeting in Order that the Overseers may be Better Qualified to know their members 2/ Raised towards Monthly meetings Book of Record.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at S^{o} Kingstown the 27th of 5th Moth AD 1782 the Several Meetings being Call^{d} their Representitives Appearing as for S^{o} Kingstown Bathsheba Knowles and Luceanna Rodman for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon, the friends Appointed to treat with Mehetabel Smith made no Report that Matter is Refer^{d} to next Monthly Meeting, The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to Enquire into the life and Conversation of Elizabeth Sheffield made Report that they think it best to Continue her Request that Matter is refer^{d} to Next Monthly Meeting the Com^{tee} that was Appointed to Examine the Records made Report that they find five months Minutes Missing this Meeting thinks proper to Refer the Recording the Minutes till they make further Enquiry after them that is Missing the Choosing a Com^{tee} to visit those Members that are Negligent in Attending Meetings is Refer^{d} to Next Monthly Meeting The Comit^{ee} that was Appointed to Enroll the names of the friends belonging to this Monthly Meeting have According to Appointment performed that Service the Choosing of Elders is Suspended till the Sixth Month, S^{o} Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Pettyes Wife of Jonathan Pettyes Requests a Certificate for herself and three of her Children to go to Newport naming Amos, Lydia, and Hepsibah which this Meeting takes Notice of & Appoints Bathsheba Knowles and Luceanna Rodman to Enquire into her life and Conversation and Draw a Certificate against Next Monthly Meeting for her if they think proper, Elizabeth Babcock Wife of Elisha Babcock has no mind to be Continued under the Care of friends 7/8 Raised towards the Monthly Meetings Book –

At Our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingstown the 5th of 7th Mo. 1782 the Several Meetings being Calld their Representitives Appearing are for So Kingstown Elizabeth Peckham and Luceanna Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Sheffield. the friends that was Appointed to Treat with Mehetabel Smith made no Report that Matter is Referd to next Monthly Meeting, The Business of Elizabeth Sheffield is Continued to next Monthly Meeting. The Comtee that was Appointed to Examine the Records Report that they have Left a Vacancy for those that are Missing if they may be found. Sarah Rathbun and Sarah Sheffield is Appointed to visit those members that are Negligent in Attending Meetings. which this Meeting Acquaints the Mens Meeting with and Desires them to Appoint a Comtee to Join them, The Choosing of Elders is Suspended to Next Monthly Meeting The Comtee that was Appointed to Enquire into the Life &c of Elizabeth Pettys and to Draw a Certificate for her and her Children if they thought proper make Report that they have performed that Service and have Drawn a Certificate which was Read in this Meeting Approvd and Signd. So Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Mary Dockray and Elizabeth Dockray Daughters of John Dockray is Removd Within the Limits of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting which this Meeting takes Notice of & Sends a few lines by way of Certificate for them So Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Congdon Requests that her Two youngest Children Namely Frances and John Congdon be under friends Care which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Rathbun to Join the Mens Comtee in visiting Sarah Congdon on the Account of her Children being under friends Care. The Queries were Read and their Answers thereto. an Epistle was Drawn up to Send to the Quarterly Meeting our friend Elizabeth Peckham is Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting Phebe Gorton and Charlotte Gorton Sent in a paper Condemning their Attending a Marriage Solomnized Contrary to friends Rules which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Sarah Robinson and Sarah Rathbun to visit them to Se whether they live up to Our profession or no

At Our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingstown ye 29th of 7th Mo. AD 1782 the Several Meetings being Calld their Representitives Appearing are for So Kingstown Luceanna Rodman & Sarah Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Catherine Hoxsie. the Comtee that was Appointed to Treat with Mehetabel Smith made no Report they are Continued to that Service and to Report Next Monthly Meeting the Business of Elizabeth Sheffield is Referd to next Monthly Meeting the Clerk makes Report that the Minutes is not Recorded the Comtee that was Appointed to Examine the Records. is Continued to Se that they are Recorded and to make Report to next Monthly Meeting, So Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that that Andrew Nichols and Sarah Rathbun was Nominated to the Station of Elders Hopkinton preparative Meeting likewise informs that Mary Wilbur is Nominated to the Station of an Elder which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoint Susannah Collins and Bathsheba Knowles to Treat with them on that Acct and make Report to next Monthly Meeting the Comte that was appointed to visit Sarah Congdon on the Acct of her Children being taken under Friends Care made no Report they are Continued to that Service & to Report next Monthly Meeting the Comtee Appointed to visit Phebe and Charlotte Gorton made Report that they have performd that Service and that they think it proper to wait with them til the next monthly Meeting. Susannah Collins and Lucianna Rodman is Aded to the Comtee that was Appointed Last Monthly Meeting for visiting those Members that are Slack on Acct of Attending Meetings Receivd a Certificate for Sarah Hazard wife of George from Smithfield Monthly Meeting Datd 27th of 6th Mo 1782 and one for Sarah Hazard Wife of Robert Hazard Datd 25th of 7th Mo 1782 from Rhodisland Monthly Meeting,, Was read in this Meeting a Certificate for Our Esteemed friend Sarah Hampton who was on a Religious Visit to friends in NewEngland and Else where from Plainfield for Rahway & Plainfield East New Jersey Datd 18th of 4th Mo 1781 Recd an Epistle from the Last Quarterly Meeting which was Read to good Sattisfaction

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingstown the 26 of the 8th Month AD 1782 the Several Meetings being Calld their Representitives Appearing are for So Kingstown Sarah Rathbun & Lucianna Rodman for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Susannah Collins, the Comtee that was appointed to Treat with Mehitabel Smith made Report that they have performed that Service and that She Desird friends would wait with her that Matter is Continued under the Care of the Same Comtee, The Matter Concerning Elizabeth Sheffields Request of being under friends Care is Continued under the Care of the same Comtee The Comtee that was Appointed to See that the minutes are Recorded has made no Report they are ~~Recorded~~ Continued to that Service

The Com^{tee}. that was appointed to Treat with Sarah Congdon on the Account of her Children being taken under friends Care made no report that matter is Continued under the ~~Care of~~ the same Com^{tee}. they are Desir^{d}. to make report to the Next Monthly Meeting. The Matter of Phebe and Charlotte Gorton is Continued under the care of the same Com^{tee} that was appointed to Treat with them, S^{o}. Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Peter Davis and Martha Borden propoſeth to Lay their Intentions of Taking Each other in Marriage. Peter Davis and Martha Borden Appeared in this Meeting Declaring their Intentions of Taking each Other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and Refers them to Next Monthly Meeting for an Answer, Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Gorton are Appointed to Enquire into Martha Borders Clearneſs Concerning Marriage and to See that the Rights of Children by former Marriage are not Neglected. Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Sheffield wife of James Sheff. and Sarah Brown wife of Charles Brown have Transgreſsed friends Rules in not Attending the Meetings of friends and in Attending Meetings of other persuations and that they have been treated wth. on that Account and they have no Desire to be under friends Care Friends do therefore deny them of being any Longer Members of Our Religious Society untill they make friends Sattiſfaction for their s^{d}. Transgreſsion The Certificate for Elizabeth Pettyes and Children that was Sent to Rhode Iſland Monthly Meeting was Sent back by Reaſon there was a Male Child named in it and it was not Sign^{d}. by the Clerk of the Mens Meeting. Sarah Rathbun & Hannah Hoxsie are Appointed to Enquire after Elizabeth Pettye^{s}. Certificate that Come from RhodIſland Monthly Meeting and Likewiſe to See what they can find upon the Minutes of Receiving that Certificate. The Com^{tee} that was appointed to Treat with Andrew Nichols Mary Wilbur, and Sarah Rathbun on the Account of their being appointed Elders report that they think well to Recommend Mary Wilbur, and Sarah Rathbun to the Station of Elders. this Meeting Concuring therewith they are Appointed to the Station of Elders the Men Concuring therewith Rec^{d}. all the Epistles and Extracts Mentioned in the Last Quarterly Meetings Epistle which was Read to Satiſfaction —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at S^{o}. Kingstown the 30th: of the 9th. M^{o}. 1782 the Several Meetings being Cal^{d}.

Their Representatives Appearing are for S. Kingstown Sarah Rathbun and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Catherine Hoxsie The Com^{tee} Appoint^{d} to Se the Minutes ~~Appointed~~ Recorded are Continued to that Service and to make report next Monthly Meeting The Com^{tee} that was appointed to Treat wth Sarah Congdon and her Children made report that part of that Com^{tee} have visited them and that they think it best to wait with them that Matter is Continued under the Care of that Com^{tee} The friends that was Appointed to Enquire into Martha Bordens Clearness Concerning Marriage made Report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding therein, the Com^{tee} that was Appointed to make Enquiry Concerning Elizabeth Pettyes & Children having a Certificate make report that they cannot find the Certificate nor any Record of it on the Womens records Sarah Rathbun & Sarah Congdon is Appointed to Draw a Certificate for Elizabeth Pettyes and Some of her Children and Bring it to next Monthly Meeting S. Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Robert Knowles and Lucanna Rodman proposeth to Lay their Intentions of Marriage & Charles Congdon and Sarah Knowles proposeth to Lay their Intentions of Marriage and Richard Dye and Zeruiah Rogers proposeth to Lay their Intentions of Marreage. The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to Enroll the Names of friends belonging to this Monthly Meeting made Report that they have again Examin^{d} and Correct^{d} them as far as Appears Necessary. Mary Wilbur and Sarah Rathbun is Appointed to the Station of Elders whose Names are Sent up to the Quarterly Meeting the Queries was Read and Answer^{d} an Epistle was drawn up to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Mary Wilbur & Sarah Rathbun & Sarah Hazard are Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting. Peter Davis and Martha Borden Appear^{d} in this Meeting and Declar^{d} they were of the Same mind they were Last Monthly Meeting Respect^{g} marriage and Desire^{d} an Answer and as Nothing Appears to hinder they are Allowed to proceed therein they keeping to the good Order of Truth therein Established among friends. Robert Knowles & Lucanna Rodman appear^{d} in this Meeting and Declar^{d} their Intentions of Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and Refers them to next Monthly Meeting for an Answer, Charles Congdon and Sarah Knowles appear^{d} in this Meeting and Declar^{d} their Intentions of Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and Desires them to wait til next Monthly Meeting for an answer Richard Dye and Zeruiah Rogers Appear^{d} in this Meeting and Declar^{d} their Intentions of Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and Refers them to next Monthly Meeting for an Answer Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Rathbun are to Enquire into the Clearness of Luceanna Rodman & Sarah Knowles Respecting Marriage with all Others and Report to next Monthly Meeting Hannah Hoxsie and Sarah Knowles are to Enquire into Zeruiah Rogers^{s} Clearness on Account of all Others Respecting Marriage and make Report to Next Monthly Meeting Amos Collins Requests for his Two Daughters to be taken under friends Care Namely Susannah and Lydia which is Left for further Consideration

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmon the 28th of the 10th Moth 1782 the Several Meetings being Called Their Representatives Appearing are S Kingstown Sarah Rathbun & Luccanna Rodman for Hopkinton Martha Davis & Sarah Sheffiele the Committe that ~~Committe~~ was Appointed to See the Minits recorded Report that that Matter is Accomplished the Committe that Was Appointed to Draw a Certificate for Elizabeth Pettes and her Children Made Report that their Was one Drawn read Approved and Signed by the Clark of the Mens and Womens Meeting the friends Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting Made Report that they have Preformed that Servis the friends Appointed to Inquir into into Luccanna Rodman and Sarah Knowls Clearness Conserning Marriage Made report that they find Nothing to Hinder their Proceeding theirin the friends Appointed to in Quir into Zeruiah Rogers Clearness respecting Marriage Made report that they find Nothing to hinder her Proceeding theirin Amus Collins requests for his two Daughters to be under friends Care which was reconsidered in this Meeting Catherine Hoxsie and Sarah Sheffield is appointed to Join the Mens Committe in Visiting ~~the Mens Committe~~ him and his wife on that account the Committe that was appointed to visit those Friends that are Dilinquent on Accounts of attending Meetings has not preformed that Servis they are Continued to that Servis Hannah Knowls is added to that Committe Robert Knowls and Luceanna Rodman Appeared in this Meeting Declared they Ware of the same mind they ware last monthly Meeting respecting Marriage and Desirs an Answer they are allowed to

Proceed therein they Keeping to the Good orders of truth Proscribed in that in that Case Charles Congdon and Sarah Knowls Appeared in this Meeting and Declared they ware of the Same mind they ware last monthly Meeting Respecting Marriage and Desires An answer they are Allowed to to Proceed therein they Keeping to the Good Orders of truth Proscribed in that Case Sarah Rathbun and Sarah Congdon are Appointed to See their Marriages Solomnised and Make Report to the next Monthly Meeting Richard Dil and Jeruiah Rogers Acquainted this Meeting that they Could not Attend for their answer by Reason of his indisposion that Matter is refered to the Next Monthly Meeting

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 25th of 11th mo 1782 the Several Meetings being Called their Representatives Appearing are for Southkingstown Catherine Knowles & Luceanna Knowls for Hopkintown Mary Wilbur and Sarah Sheffield the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Amus Collins and Wife on the Account of their Childrons being taken Unden friends Care made no report that Matter is refered to the Next Monthly Meeting the Committe that was appointed to See the Marriage of Robert Knowls and Luceanna Rodman & Charles Congdon and Sarah Knowls Solomnised Report that they attended the Marriage of Charles Congdon & Sarah Knowles and it was Conducted ~~[illegible]~~ Orderly and they Under Stood that the other marriage ware Conducted Orderly but ware not present the Committe that Was Appointed to treat with Mehetable Smith made Report that they have preformed that Servis and that She Dont in Cline to Make friends Satisfaction for her Transgression Wherefore She is Denied any Longer a right of Member Ship in our Religious Society Mary Wilbur and Sarah Sheffield is Appointed to Draw up a Denial a~~gainst [illegible]~~ ~~and bring~~ to the Next Monthly Meeting this Meeting informs that Ann Knowls and Anna Sheffield was removed without Certificates Ann Knowls within the Verge of East Greanwich Monthly Meeting Anna Sheffield Within the Varge of Rhoadisland Monthly Meeting Which this Meeting takes Notis of and has prepared Certificates for them we received An Epistle from the Last Quarterly Meeting With many others advises We are Advised to Appoint a Committe to inspect on friends Makeing their Wills and also to Appoint Guardeans for their Children if Necessary appointing of the Committe is refered to the Next Monthly

Meeting Richard Die and Zeruiah Rogers Appeared in this Meeting and Declared they ware of the Same mind they Ware here to fore Respecting Marriage and Desires an Answer they are allowed to proceed therein they Keeping to the Good orders of truth Prescribed in that Case Mary Knowls and Hannah Knowls are Appointed to see their Marriage Solomnised and Make report to the Next Monthly Meeting

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmon the 30th of the 12th meth 1782 the Several Meetings being Called there Representatives Appearing are for Southkingstown Sarah Rathbun and Luccanna Knowls for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Barsheba Collins the friends that was appointed to Draw a Denial against Mehetable Smith have prepared one which was read Approved and Signed Mary Wilbur is appointed to read the Same at the End of a first day Meeting and make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting Sarah Rathbun and Hannah Hoxsie are appointed a Committe for Southkingstown preparative Meeting to advise and assist friends in Makeing their Wills and that widows appoint Guardeans for their Children if Necessary the appointing a Committe for Hopkinton Preparative Meeting is refered to the next Monthly Meeting the Committe that was appointed to treat with Amus Collins and his Wife on acount of their Children being Under friends Care Make report that they May be received agreable thereto they are Received under friends Care One of the Committe That was appointed to attend the Marriage of Richard Dye and Zeruiah Rogers Made Report that it was Orderly Conducted one of the Committe that was Appointe to Treat with Sarah Congdon on the Account of her Children being Taken under friends Care makes Report that She has With Drawn her Request for the present So Kingstown Preparative Meeting informes That Hannah Sanford has Transgress by neglecting to attend our Religious Meetings and attending Places of Diversion and Others Wise walking Disorderly Which this Meeting takes Notis of and Appoints Luccanna

Knowls and Hannah Knowles to Treat With her and Report to the Next Monthly Meeting the Queries was read and Answerd from ~~the~~ So Kingstoun Preparative Meeting an Epistle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Which Was Read approved and Signed Sarah Rathbun jr Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting ——————

The denial of Mehetable Smith

Whare as Mehetable Smith hath had a right of Membership in Our Religious Society but has Transgressed the Rules thereof in Neglecting to attend our Religious Meetings and also has Gone After and attended meetings held out of Unity with us for Which Transgression She has been Long waited upon and Several times treated with for her Recovery Which has Proved Ineffectual we therefore Deny the Sd Mehetable Remaining Any Longer A member of our Religious Society Until She Shall Make Friends Satisfaction for her Abovesaid Transgression which we desire She may
this Testimony of Denial Given forth at our monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 30th of ye 12 month 1782
Signed in and by order of Said meeting by

Sarah Rathbun Clerk for the day

At a Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Richmon the 27th of the 1st mo 1783 the Several Meetings Being Called their Representatives appearing are for South Kingstoun Luceanna Knowles and Hannah Knowles for hopkinton none Appearing the friend Appointed to read the Denial of Mehetable Smith at the End of a first Day Meeting Report that She has Preformed that Servis Martha Kinyon and Mary Wilber are Appointed a Committe for Hopkinton Preparative Meeting to Advise and assist Friends in Makeing their Wills and for Widows to Appoint Gardens for their Children if necessary the Committe that

Was appointed to treat with Hannah Sanford Made
Report that She refuses to Make Satisfaction to Friends
for her outgoings She is Denied any Longer a Right of Mem
bership in our Religious Society until She Return and Make
Satisfaction for her Transgressions the Friend Appointed
to attend the Quarterly Made Report that She has pre
formed that Servis South Kingstown Preparative Meeting
Informs that Deborah Northop wife of Gorge Northop
Has Transgrest Against the Rules of our Disipline
in Marrying out from among friends & with one
of another Purswasion Luceanna Knowles and
Hannah Knowles is Appointed to treat with her
On that Account and Make Report to the Next
Monthly Meeting we Received an Epistle from
the Last Quarterly Meeting which wass Read to
Good Satisfaction was Read the Advise from the Meeting
For Sufferings Conserning Seting up Schools among friends
For the Educating of the Youth Likewise an Epis
tle from the Yearly Meeting in London to Good
Satisfaction

At a Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at
Richmon ye 24th of the 2 mo - 1783 the Several meetings
being Called their Representatives Appearing are
So Kingstown Sarah Rathbun and Hannah Hoxsie
for Hopkintown Mary Wilbur and Susannah Collins
the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Deborah
Northop 1st mo report that they have Treated with her
and that they think it Best to wait with her a while
that Matter is Continued under the Care of the Same
Committe This Meeting has Reconsidered the Matter
Connserning Hannah Sanford and thought Proper
to have a Publick Denial a Gainst her Sarah Rathbun
and Sarah Congdon is Appointed to Draw one and Bring
to the Next Monthly Meeting Hopkintown prepa
rative Meeting informs that Susannah Collins Requests
Acertificate to go to Saratogue which this Meeting

Takes notis of and Appoints Mary Wilbur and Martha Davis to Inquire into her Life and Converſation and Draw a Certificate for her againſt the next Monthly Meeting if they think Propper Sarah Rathbun ~~and~~ is Appointed in the Room of Suſannah Collins to Join the Committe to treat with Elizabeth Sheffield on the Account of her being taken under friends Care and Make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting Suſannah Collins being one of the Committe to Viſit Friends families Deſires to be Diſmiſt from Servis as She is about to Remove from among us She is Diſmiſt from that Servis

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 31th of ye 3 mo 1783 the Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentives Appearing are for So Kingſtown are Sarah Rathbun and Luceanna Knowls for Hopkintown Mehetable Collins the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Deborah Northop Made no Report that Matter is refered to the Next Monthly Meeting the Committe that was Appointed to Draw a Denial againſt Hannah Sanford Report that they have prepared and brought one which was Read Approved & Signd in this Meeting Sarah Congdon is Appointed to Read the Same at the End of a firſt Day Meeting the Committe that was Appointed to Inquire in to the Life of Suſannah Collins and to Draw a Certificate for her make Report that they have prepared and brought one which was read Approved and Signed in this Meeting the Committe that was Appointed to Treat with Eliſabeth Sheffield Report that they have had a Conferance with her and that they think it beſt that She Should With Draw her Requeſt and She Conſenting there to the Committe that was Appointed to Viſit friends on the account of Makeing their Wills Report that they have Preformed that Servis and that they find them willing to Comply there with Except one Southkingſtown Preparative Meeting informs that Mary Green Daughter of David Green Deſires to be taken under friends Care which this Meeting takes notis of and Appoints Sarah Rathbon and Lucanna Knowls to treat with her on that account and Make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting

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Hopkintown Preparative Meeting informs that Phebe Gorton Daughter of Samuel Gorton hath tranſgreſsd againſt the Rules of our Diſsepline in Going to an Entertainment where there was fiddleing and Danſing and Charlotte Hall wife of Rubin Hall & Daughter of ~~Rubin~~ Samuel Gorton hath Like wiſe Tranſgreſsed in Marrying out from among friends and alſo attending an Entertainment where their was fiddleing and Danſing ~~and t~~ for Neglect of attending of Meetings and Other ways walking Diſorderly they have been labourced with but Proved ineffectual they have Denied any longer a right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society until they Make Satiſfaction to friends for their above said Tranſgreſsions Mary Wilbur & Mehetable Collins is Appointed to Draw the Denials of Phebe Gorten and Charlotte Hall and bring to the Next Monthly Meeting Hopkintown Preparative Meeting likewise inform that Patience Parks ~~and~~ has treated her husband with Contempt which this Meeting takes Notis of and Appoints Mary Wilbur and Mehetable Colins to Join the Mens Committe to ~~Fo~~ treat with her ~~in~~ that account the Queries was read with anſwers there to an Epiſtle was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Read approved and Signed by the Clerk the Representatives Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting are Hannah Hoxsie Hannah Knowls and Mary Wilber —

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown 28th of the 4th mo — 1783 the Several Meetings being Called there Representatives Appearing are for Southkingstown Sarah Hazard and Lucannah Knowls for Hopkintown Martha Davis and Mehetable Collins the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Deborah Northop Report that She Dont in Cline to Make Satiſfaction for her Outgoings for which She has been Laboured with for her Recovery which proved ineffectual She is Denied any Longer a right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society until She return and Make friends Satiſfaction for her tranſgreſsion

The friend that was Appointed to read the Denial of Hannah Sanford at the end of a first Day Meeting Report that it has been read the Committee that Wass Appointed to treat with Mary Green on the Account of her being taken under friends Care Report that they Dont find Any thing but that She may be admited a Member this Meeting Concuring there with She is admited a Member of our Religious Society the Committe that was appointed to Draw the Denials of Charlotta Hall and Phebe Gorten Report that they have Prepared them which was Read Approved and Signed by the Clerk Mehetable Collins is Appointed to Read them at the end of a first Day Meeting the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Patience Parks report that She and her Husband has parted and that She Continues to treat her Husband with Contempt and they think it unlikly that they Will Come to Gather again for which transgression She is Denied any Longer aright of Membership in our Religious Society Until She ~~and~~ Make friends Satisfaction for her outgoings Mehetable Collins is Appointed to Draw a Denial a Gainst her and bring to the Next Monthly Meeting Representatives Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting all attended the Epistle From the Last Quarterly Meeting was read and well Excepted and in forms that the Publick testamony of our friend Elisabeth Mot of Rhoodisland is Approved of

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Hannah Sanfords Denial

Where as Hannah Sanford hath Had a Right of membership In our Religious Society but has transgrest the Rules their of in Neglecting to Attend our Religious Meetings and Attending Places of publick Diversions and Otherways walking disorderly for which Transgressions She has been treated with for her Recovery which has proved ineffectual we therefore deny her Any Longer A Right of Member Ship in our Religious Society Until She Shall Return and Make Friends Satisffaction for the above sd Transgressions which is our Sincer Desire that She may Given forth at our Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Richmond the 31 Day of the 3d mo 1783

Signed in and on Behalf of sd Meeting

By Sarah Congdon Clerk

At a monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingſtown the 26 of the 5th Month 1783 the Several Meetings Being Called thir Repreſentatives Appearing are for So Kingſtown Barſheba Knowls and Hannah Knowls for Hopkintown Martha Kinyon & Mary Wilbur the friend appointed to read the Denials of Charlotte Hall and Phebe Gorton at the End of a firſt Day Meeting where they Did belong Report that they have been Read According to Appointment (the Denials)

Charlotte Halls Denial

Charlotte Hall wife of Rubin Hall and Daughter of Samuel Gorton Deceaſt hath had a Right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society but has Tranſgreſsed ~~the Same~~ againſt the Good Order thereof firſt in Neglecting to Attend our Religious Meetings and attending Places of Diverſion and Alſo hath Married out of the Unity of Friends She haveing been Several times treated with on that Account but ſtill Continues in her aforeſaid Tranſgreſsions we therefore Deny her any Longer a Right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society until She Return and Make Satiſfaction for her aforeſaid Tranſgreſsions Given forth at our Monthly Meeting held at Southkingſtown the 28 of the forth Month 1783 Signed in and by Order of Said Meeting by — Sarah Congdon Clerk

Phebe Gortons Denial

Phebe Gorton Daughter of Samuel Gorton Deceaſt hath had a right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society but has Tranſgreſsed Againſt the Good Order there of in Neglecting to Attend our Religious Meetings and Attending places of Diverſion She haveing been Treated with on that Account but Still Continues in her Afore Said Tranſgreſsions we there fore Deni her a Right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society Until She Return and Make Satiſfaction for her Afor Said Tranſgreſsions Given forth at our Monthly Meeting held at ~~Richmon~~ So Kingſtown the 28 of the forth Month 1783 Signed in and by Order of Said Meeting by Sarah Congdon Clerk

At a Monthly meeting of women friends held at Southkings town the 30th of the 6 month 1783 the Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives Appearing are for So Kingstown Elizabeth Peckham and Hannah Knowls for Hopkinton Catherine Hoxſie & Anne Hoxſie the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Anne Segars Made no Report they are Continued to that Servis to that Servis and to make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting the friend Appointed to Read the Denials ~~the Do~~ of Patience Park hath Not fully preformed that Servis it is Continued to the Next Monthly Meeting Received a Certificate for Prudence Brigs from Eaſt Greenwich Monthly Meeting Dated the 2th of the 6th month 1783 South Kingſtown preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Rathbun has a Conſern to Accompany our friend Mehetable Jinkins on a Religious Viſit to friends in New York the Jerſeys Penſilvany and Europe as the way May Open in the truth and Deſireſ a Certificate for that purpoſe this Meeting Appoints Elizabeth Peckham Alice Congdon and Mary Wilbur to ~~in~~ Inquire into the life and Converſation and Circumſtances of Sd Sarah Rathbun and Make Report to the Next monthly meeting of there Sence on her Requeſt to the Next Monthly Meeting and alſo to Draw a Certificate if they Shall find Moſt Adviſeable and preſent the Same to the Next Monthly Meeting the Queries was Read with Anſwers thereto an Account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting which was read approved and Signed — with Anſwers to the Queries Hannah Knowles and Catherine Hoxſie is Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingſtown the 28th of the 7 month 1783 the Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives Appearing are for So Kingſtown Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkintown Mehetable Collens Mary Wilbur was Appointed but Could not Attend by reaſon of Sickneſs the buſineſs of Anne Segars is Refered to the

Next Monthly Meeting Return is Made that a Copy of
the Denial of Patience Parks was Set up According to
Appointment the Committe that was appointed to Confer
with Sarah Rathbun ~~of~~ on the Account of her haveing a
Certificate to Accompany Mehetable Jenkins on her Religiou
Make Report that She withdraws her Request they
Haveing Unity therewith South Kingstown preparative
Meeting informs that Sarah Fowler wife of Henry
Fowler Desires to be under Friends Care which this
Meeting takes notis of and Appoints Barsheba Knowles
and Sarah Rathbun to treat with her on that Accoun
and Make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting South
Kingstown Preparative Meeting further informs that
Susannah Peckham wife of Timothy Peckham hath
hath transgressed against the Rules of our Society by
Assisting in Makeing an Entertainment for a Marriage
and attending the Same which Marriage was out of the
Unity ~~with~~ of friends ~~D~~ meeting Likewise informs that Pene
lope Congdon Daughter of William Congdon has trarns
Gress'd in attending a Marriage which was out of the
Unity of Friends where there was Fiddleing and
Dancing which this Meeting takes Notis of and Appoints
Elizabeth D. Peckham and Hannah Knowles
to treat with them on that Account and Make
Report to the Next Monthly Meeting Received an
Epistle from the last Quarterly Meeting with
transcrips of Longisland Dated the 5 month 1783
and filidelfia Epistles Dated the 9th mo 1782
Containing Much Salutary advice Esspescially
to the youth was Read an Epistle from the
Yearly Meeting of Men in London Dated
the 5 mo 1782 one from the men at Rhodisland
Dated the 6 mo 1783 Read an extract from the
Book of Disapline referred to in the Yearly
Meeting Epistle in 1690 & 1737 Advising that no
Young or Single person Give any Incouragement

towards the proceeding in Marriage without their
Parents or Guardens being First Acquainted therewith
Read Extracts from the Yearly Meeting Minits held at Newport
the 6 mo 1783 Advises that no Member be Received Disowned
or Restored without the Approbation of both Mens and
Womens Meetings Received a Certificate for Mehetable Bowen
from East hoosuck monthly Meeting Dated ye 10 of the 4th mo 1783

Whareas Patience Park of Groaton Wife of John Park
hath had a right of membership in our Religious
Society but hath of late Transgressed the rules there of
by parting and Living Seperate from her Husband and
altho Friends have treated with her and Laboured
much for a Reconciliation between her and her Husband
they do not appear of a disposion to be Reconciled
but treat eatch Other with Contemp Contrary to
their Marriage Contract Made to Each Other
Therefore we deny sd Patience Park of Remaining
any Longer a Member of our Religious Society
Until She Shall repent of her sd Transgression
and Make Satisffaction to friends for the Same Given
forth at our Monthly Meeting of Women friends
held at So Kingstown the 26 day of the 5th Month 1783
Signed in and by Order of sd Meeting
By Sarah Congdon Clerk

The Denial of Patience Park

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at
So Kingstown the 1 of the 9 mo 1783 the Several Meetings
being Called their Representatives appearing are
for Southkingstown Elizabeth Peckham and
Sarah Rathbun for Hopkintown Mary Wilbur
the Committe that was appointed to treat with
Anna Segar Report that She dont incline to
Condemn her Misconduct altho She has been Laboured
with for her recovery it has proved ineffectual
She is Denied any Longer a right of membership
in our Religious Society until She return and Make
Satisffaction to friends for her a fore said transgression

Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Congdon is appointed to Draw a Denial againſt her and bring to the Next Monthly Meeting the Committe that was appointed to treat with Sarah Fowler Report that they have preformed that Servis that Matter is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting to be Continued under the Care of the Same Committe For Some further inquiry the Committee that was appointed to treat with Suſannah Peckham on the account of her Aſsiſting in Makeing an Entertainment for a Marriage and Attending the Same and Penelope Congdon for attending a Marriage which was Out of Unity of friends Report that they Not of a Diſpoſition to Condemn their tranſgreſsions but rather to but rather to Juſtify them Selves theirin they are Denied any longer a Right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society until they Make friends Satiſfaction for their above Sd Tranſgreſsions Sarah Rathbun and Barſheba Knowls is Appointed to Draw the Denials againſt them and bring to the next Monthly Meeting Southkingſtown preparative Meeting informs that Thomas Hazard Son of Benjamin Hazard and Hannah Knowles Daughter of Joseph Knowles propoſes to Lay their Intentions of takeing Eatchother in Marriage ~~which~~ Thomas Hazard and Hannah Knowles Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intention of of Takeing Eatch other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notis of and Deſires them to wait until the Next Monthly Meeting for their Anſwer and Appoints Sarah Rathbun and Lyda Rathbun to inquire into her Life and Converſation and Clearneſs Reſpecting Marriage and Make report to the next Monthly Meeting South Kingſtown preparative meeting informs that Dorcas Hoxſie wife of Gideon Hoxſie and Mary Sagars wife of Joseph Segar are Negligent on Account of attending Meetings this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilbur and Martha Davis to Join the Mens Committe to treat with them on that Account and Make Report to the next Monthly Meeting South Kingſtown preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Parker wife of

James Parker and her two Daughters Mary and
Alice have transgressed a gainst the Rules of our
Society in Not Attending our Meetings attending Meetings
of Other Societies this Meeting Appoints Hannah Knowles
and Elisabeth Peckham to Join the Mens Committe to
Treat with them on that account and Make report to the Next
Monthly Meeting Southkingstown preparative Meeting
Informs that Abigail Sheffield Daughter of Elisha
Sheffield Deceasd is in want of a home Barsheba Collins
and Elizabeth Peckham is Appointed to Join the mens
Committe in Provoiding one for her Received a
Certificate for Abigail Hoxsie from Falmouth
Monthly Meeting for Sandage Dated the 1 of the 8 mo 1783
We are in formd by the Last Epistle from
the Quarterly Meeting that Peace Devol of
Acoaxet was Appointed to the place of an Elder

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at
So Kingstown the 29 of the 9th mo 1783 the Several
Meetings Called their Representatives Appearing
are for Southkingstown Sarah Rathbun and Hannah
Hoxsie for Hopkinton Catherine Hoxsie and Meheta
ble Collins the Committee that was appointed to Draw
a Denial against Anna Segar have Prepared one
Which was Read approved and Signed by the Clerk
Sarah Congdon is appointed to Read the Same at the
End of a first Day Meeting where She Did belong
The Committee that was appointed to treat with Sarah
Fowler Report that they Dont find any thing thing to
hinder her being taken under friends Care She is
Admited a Member of our Religious Society the
Committee Appointed to Draw the Denials of Susannah
Peckham & Penelope Congdon have prepard them which
was Read Approved and Signed by the Clerk

Sarah Rathbun is appointed to Read the Same at the End
of a firſt Day meeting held at the Lower meeting hous in
So. Kingſtown the Committee that was appointed to inquire
into the Clearneſs of Hannah Knowls reſpecting Marriage
Report that they dont find any thing to hender her Proceed
ing therein Thomas Hazard and Hannah Knowls Appear
ed in this Meeting and Informs that they ware of the Same
mind they ware Laſt Monthly Meeting Reſpecting Marriage
and Deſires an Anſwer Nothing Appears to hender they are
allowed to proceed their in they Keeping to the Good or
Der of truth therein Proſcribed Sarah Rathbun and
Sarah Congdon is Appointed to See their marriage Solom
nised and Make Report to the Next monthly meeting
One of the Committee that was Appointed to treat
with Dorcas Hoxſie and Mary Segar Report that
She has viſited them that Matter is Refered ~~to the~~
Under the Care of the Same Committee the Committee that
was appointed to treat with Elizabeth Parker and her
two Daughters Mary and Alice Report that they Dont
Incline to Condemn there tranſgreſsions but Rather
to Juſtify them Selves they are Denied any Longer a
Right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society
Haveing the Concurrance of the Mens Meeting there
with Sarah Congdon and Sarah Rathbun is Appoi
nted to Draw a teſtamony of Denial againſt
them and bring to the Next Monthly Meeting
The Committee that was appointed to Aſsiſt in
Provideing a home for Abigail Sheffield has made
No report that Matter is refered to the next Monthly
Meeting Hopkintown preparative meeting informs
Catherine Hoxſie Requeſts a few lines by way of Cer
tificate to Go to the Oblong to viſit her Children this
Meeting having Unity there with She being a Member
the Clerk is Directed to Give her a Copy of this Minit the
Queries was Read and anſwers an account was drawn to
Send to the Quarterly Meeting with ~~anſwers~~ to the Que
ries Sarah Congdon and Hannah Hoxſie are appointed

To attend the Quarterly Meeting

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon
the 27 of the 10 mo 1783 the Several meetings being Called there
Repreſentatives Appearing are for South Kingſtown Hannah Hazard
for Hopkintown Martha Kinyon and Barſheba Collins
the Denial of Anna Segar was Read According to
appointment The Denial

Where as Anna Segar Daughter of Joseph
Segar hath had a Right of Memberſhip by Birth
in our Religious Society but has Tranſgreſt the
Rules thereof in Going to a Weding where there
was Fidling and Danceing for which Tranſgreſ
sion She has been Laboured with for her Recove
ry but it has proved Ineffectual we therefore
Deny her any Longer a Right of Memberſhip
in our Religious Society until She Return and
make Friends Satiſffaction for the above Sd
Tranſgreſsion which is our Sincr Deſire
Given forth at our Monthly Meeting women
Friends held at So Kingſtown the 29 day
of the 9 mo 1783 Signed in and by Order of
ſaid meeting by Sarah Congdon Clerk

The Denial of Anna Segar

The Denials of Suſannah Peckham and
Penelope Congdon was Read according to
appointment the Denials

Where as Suſannah Peckham wife of
Timothy Peckham has Tranſgreſt
Friends Rules by aſſiſting in Makeing
~~a Marri~~ an entertainment for a Marriage
after the Cuſtom of the world and out of the

Unity of Friends for her Daugter and attending the Same altho She has been Laboured with for her Recovery it has hither to Proved ineffectual we therefore Deny her a Right of memberſhip any Longer in our Religious Society until She Return and Mak Satiſfaction for her aforeſaid tranſgreſsion Given forth at our Monthly meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown the 29 of the 9 mo 1784 Signed in and by order of Said Meeting

by Sarah Congdon Clark

Whereas Penelope Congdon Daughter of William Congdon has tranſgreſt friends Rules in Going to a Marriage and an Entertainment where there was muſick and Dancing altho She has been Laboured with for her Recovery it has hither to Proved ineffectual we do there fore Deny her any Longer a Right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society until She Shall Return and Make Satiſfaction for her aforeſaid Tranſgreſsion Given forth at our Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown the 29 of the 9 mo 1783 Signed in and by order of Sd meeting by

Sarah Congdon Clerk

One of the Committe that was Appointed to See the Marriage of Thomas Hazard and Hannah Knowles Solemniſed Report that it was Conducted orderly the Committe that was appointed to Draw up a teſtamony of Denial againſt Elizabeth Parker and her two Daughters Mary Parker & Allice Parker

Have prepared one which was Read approved and signed by the Clerk Abigail Hoxſie is Appointed to Read the Same at the End of a firſt Day meeting where they did belong the Repreſentatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting have preformed that Servis the Epiſtle from the Laſt Quarterly meeting was read to Good Satiſfaction

At a Monthly meeting of women friends held at Richmon the firſt of the 12th mo 1783 the Several Meetings being Called there Repreſentatives for So Kingſtown Mary Green and Hannah Hazard For Hopkintown Mahetable Collins and Barſheba Collins the friend that was Appointed to Read the Denials of Elizabeth Parker and her two Daughters Mary and Alice Report that She has preformed that Servis Southkingſtown preparative meeting informs that Sarah Congdon Deſires friends to Chuſe a new Clerk that Matter is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting Hopkintown prepative meeting Informs that Sarah Sheffield purpoſes to lay her intention of marriag with Thomas Wilber be fore this Meeting Sarah Sheffield and Thomas Wilber Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intentions of takeing Each other in Marriage they are Deſired to wait until the next Monthly Meeting for their anſwer Barſheba Collins and Mehetable Collins is Appointed to Make inquiry into her Clearneſs Reſpecting Marriage and that She has Conſent of [illegible] Parents and Make Report to the next Monthly Meeting

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 29 of the 12 mo 1783 the Several meetings being Called their Repreſentatives for So Kingſtown are Sarah Rathbun and Haniah

Hazard for hopkintown Mehetable Collins and Martha Davis Martha Davis not present the Chusing of a Clerk is Refered to the Next Monthly meeting the Committe that was appointed to inquire into Sarah Sheffield Clearness Respecting Marriage and haveing Consent of parents Report that they find Nothing to hinder her preceeding there in Sarah Sheffield and Thomas Wilbur Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their ware of the Same mind they ware last Monthly Meeting Respecting Marriage and Desires an answer No Objection appearing they are allowed to proceed therein they Observing the Rules in that Case Abigail Hoxsie and Mehetable Collins are Appointed to See the Marriage of Thomas Wilbur and Sarah Sheffield Solemnised and Report to the next Monthly Meeting the Queries was Read and answers agreed on an Account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Hannah Hazard and Sarah Rathbun are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting and Report to the next Monthly Meeting and Send their Reasons if they Should fail of attending

At our Monthly Meeting of women friends Held at Richmon the 26 of the 1 mo—1784 the Several Meetings Being Called their Representatives ~~appearing~~ are for So Kingstown ~~are~~ Sarah Rathbun and Hannah Hazard Sarah Rathbun did not appear for Hopkinton Mehetable Collins and Mary Wilbur nither of them present ~~the~~ Chusing of a Clerk is Refered to the next Monthly meeting one of the friends that was appointed to attend the Marriage of Thomas Wilbur and Sarah Sheffield report that it was Conducted orderly the Request of Mary Weaver is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting the friends that was appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting Report that they have attended the Same the Epistle from the

Quarterly Meeting was Read to Good Satiſfaction this meeting ends Martha Kinyon Clerk for the Day

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 1 of the 3 mo 1784 the Several Meetings Called their Repreſentatives Appearing are for Southkingstown Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur the Chusing of a Clerk is Referrd to the next monthly Meeting Southkingstown preparative meeting of the first month Informs that Mary Weaver Requests to be under Friends Care but was not acted upon Last Monthly meeting this meeting takes Notis of her Request and Appoints Mary Wilbur and Hannah Hoxsie to treat with her on that account and make Report ~~to the next monthly Meeting~~ as Soon as may be Southkingstown preparative Meeting informs that Barsheba Knowls and Sarah Rathbun is Nominated to the place of overseers which this Meeting Approves of Having the Concurance of the men there with this Appointment is for the Present year we are informed by the last Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting that ~~Lyda Wilkerson~~ Providence Monthly Meeting has appointed Lyda Wilkerson to the Station of an Elder this Meeting is informed that Nathan Collins and Sintha Congdon proposes to lay their intentions of takeing Eatch Other in Marriage Nathan Collins and Sintha Congdon Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intention of takeing eatch other in marriage which this Meeting takes notis of and ~~appoints~~ Desires them to wait until the next Monthly meeting for their answer Sarah Rathbun and Ruth Rodman is Appointed to inquire into the young womans Clearneſs Respecting Marriage and Make report to the Next monthly Meeting no more Buſineſs this Meeting ends

At a Monthly meeting of women Friends held at Richmon the 29 of the 3 mo 1784 the Several meeting Called their Representatives appearing are for Southkingstown Hannah Horsie and Sarah Rathbun for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur Sarah Brig Sarah Congdon is appointed Clerk for the present year the Committe that was appointed to treat with Mary Weaver Made No Report that Matter is ~~Referred to the~~ Continued under the Care of the Same Committe one of the Committe that was appointed to inquire in to Sintha Congdons Clearness Conferning Marriage report that She Dont find any thing to obstruct on her Account the Queries was Read and answers thereto a few lines Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting with answers to the Queries Mary Wilbur and Sarah Knowls is appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting the business of Nathan Collins and Syntha Congdon is Referred to the Next Monthly meeting no more business this Meeting ends

At a Monthly meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown the 26 of the 4 mo 1784 the Several meetings Called their Representatives appearing are for So Kingstown ~~or [illegible]~~ Hannah Hazard and Sarah Knowls for hopkintown no appearance the business Conserning Mary Weaver is Continued under the Care of the Same Committe the friends Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting have preformed that Servis Sarah Gorten Sent in a paper Condemning her assisting in Makeing an entertainment for her Sons marriage which this Meeting Excepts of Lyda Sheffield Sent in a paper Condemning her attending ~~her~~ a place of Diversion and other wise walking Disorderly which this Meeting excepts of and appoints Sarah Congdon to See them read at the end of a first Day Meeting were they Did be long Received an Epistle from the

From the last Quarterly Meeting which was Read to Good Satisfaction and also Recommends that we Annually Appoint our Clerk Visiters and overseers the business of Nathan Collins and Syntha Collins respecting Marriage is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting no farther business this Meeting end

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown the 31 of the 5 mo 1784 the Several meetings Called their Representatives Appearing are for So Kingstown Sarah Knowls & Hannah Hazard for Hopkintown Catherine Flox Sie and Martha Davis the business of Mary Weaver is Continued under the Care of the Same Commite and to Make Report to the next Monthly Meeting the Friend that was appointed to See the papers read at the end of a first day meeting that Sarah Gorten and Lydia Sheffield Sent in ~~an~~ Report that She has preformed that Servis the Matter Conserning Nathan Colins and Syntha Congdon was Refered on the Account of the Sd Nathan haveing Somthing Scandelus Laid to his Charge South Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Syntha Collins wife of Nathan Collins and Daughter of wiliam Congdon hath married out from amont friends and She has Sent in a paper Condemning her transgression that Matter is Refered to the next monthly Meeting South Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Fowler wife of Henery Fowler has Removed within the verge of Rhoadisland Monthly Meeting and Desires a certificate the necessary inquiry has been Made and Nothing appears to hinder her having one Sarah Congdon is Appointed to prepare one against the next Monthly Meeting Mary Green Daughter of David Green has Sent in a paper Condemning her being at a marriage which was out of the Unity of Friends which this Meeting Excepts of no More business this Meeting end

At a Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at So Kingstown the 28 of th 6 mo 1784 the Several meetings Called their Representatives Appearing are for Southkingstown Alice Congdon & Sarah Rathbun for Hopkinton Catharine Hoxsie & Martha Kinyon the business of Mary Weaver is Refered to the Next Monthly meeting and to be Continued under the Care of the Same Committe the Business of Cyntha Collins is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting a Certificate for Sarah fowler was Read approved and Signed by the Clerk Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs that Martha Kinyon & Mary Willbur Nominated to the Place of Overseers Mary Wilbur is Reappointed to the place of an overseer Martha Kinyon is Appointed an Overseer in the Room of Sarah Willbur which was Sarah Sheffield when appointed the Queries was Read and Answers thereto an Account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting with answers to the Queries Hannah Hoxsie and Mehetable Collins is appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting no further business this meeting ends

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown the 26 of th 7 mo 1784 the Several Meetings Called their Representatives Appearing are for So Kingstown Barsheba Knowls and Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkintown Martha Davis & Barsheba Collins Could not attend by reason of Sickness the Business of Mary Weaver is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting

and to be under the Care of the Same Committe
the business of Cyntha Collins is Refered to the next
Monthly Meeting Received an Epistle from the Last Quar
terly Meeting to Gether with Copies of the Yearly Meeting
Epistle at Rhode island Dated the 6 mo 1784 one from
Filladelfia Dated the 9 mo 1783 one from westbury on Long
Island Dated the 6 mo 1784 Which Containd advice both
Eddefiing and Satiffactary with Extracts from the
Yearly Meeting minits Conserning the Disuse of Spirit
ous Liquers South Kingstown preparative meeting informs
that Sarah Rathbun thinks it her place and is Desirous
to attend the next yearly Meeting of friends to be held at
Philidelphia and haveing the Unity of Both the mens and
womens meeting therein She being ~~a member~~ an Elder
and in Good Esteem among us the Clerk is directed to give
her a Copy of this minute and Sign the Same as Clerk
of this Meeting no farther business this Meeting Ends

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at
So Kingstown the 30 of the 8 mo 1784 the Several
Meetings Called their Representatives appearing
are Mehetable Collins & Mary Wilbur this
meeting aJurns to the 3 Day of the 9 mo 1784

Met by ajurnment the Representatives Called
Hannah Hoxsie and Sarah Hazzard present
Was Read Read a Certificate on Behalf of our
John Willis from the Monthly meeting at westbury
on Long island Dated the 25 of the 5 mo 1784 one on
Behalf of our friend Joseph Willit from the monthly
meeting at westbury on Long island Dated the
26 of the 5 mo 1784

The buſineſs of mary Weaver is Refered To the Next Monthly Meeting Sarah Fowlers Certificate ſent Back ~~Bad~~ by Reaſon it was not Signed by the Clerk of the mens Meeting the buſineſs of Cyntha ~~Congdon~~ Collins is Refered to the next monthly the Committe that was Appointed to Viſit the Delinquents on Accounts of their not attending Meetings Report that they have Preformed that Servis this meeting ends

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At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingſtown the 27 of the 9^{mo} 1784 the Several Meetings Called their Repreſentatives Appearing are for Southkingſtown Luccanna Knowls and for Hopkinton Martha Kingon and Catherine Hoxſie the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Mary Weaver Report that She is of an Orderly life & Converſation and of the Same Principals as to Religion with us Sheis admited a member of our Religious Society we haveing the Concurance of the men there with the buſineſs of Cyntha Collins is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting Hannah Hoxſie and Luccanna Knowls is Appointed to treat with her on the account of her Marrying out from among Friends and Report to the Next Monthly Meeting Southkingſtown preparative Meetings informs that Abigail Dockay Daughter of John Dockrey hath tranſgreſsed the Ruls of our Diſcpline in Keeping Company and preceding to Marry with one not of our Society Luccanna Knowles is Appointed to treat with her on that account and make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting the Queries was Read and anſwers there to —

an account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting with answers to the Querics Ruth Rodman is Appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting Sarah fowlers Certificate was Signed by the Clerk of the mens meeting by order of the Same no further business this Meeting Ends

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 1 of the 11 mo 1784 the Several Meetings Called their Representatives being Present are for Southkingstown Sarah Knowls and Thankful Dye for Hopkintown Martha Kinyon & Martha Davis the Committe that was appointed to treat with Syntha Collins Report that She appears to be of a Disposion to Condemn her Marrying out from a Mong friends and further Says that She intends to Live a more Regular Life for the futer that Matter is Continued under the Care of the Same Committe and they are to assist her in Drawing up a paper Condemning her misconduct and bring to the Next Monthly Meeting the frien that was appointed to treat with Abigail Dockray ~~on~~ Report that She has treated with her on the account of her Marrying out from a mong friends But She has proceeded therein She is therefore Denyed any Longer a right of membership in our Religious Society until ~~she~~ She return and Make friends Satisfaction ~~for the~~ for the above transgression Alice Congdon & Sarah Rathbun is Apointed to Draw a Denial against her and bring to the next monthly meeting Received an Epistle from the last Quarterly Meeting Which was Read to Good Satisfaction

South Kingstown preparative meeting informs that
Elizabeth Pettis Daughter of Jonathan Pettis
has Removed to newport and Desires a Certificate this
meeting apoints Sarah Knowls and Abigail Hoxsie
to inquire into her Life and Conversation and prepare
a Certificate for her against the next monthly Meet
ing if they find nothing to obstruct no further business
this meeting Ends

At a monthly Meeting of women friends held at
So Kingstown the 29 of the 11th mo 1784 the
several meetings Called their Representatives
appearing are for South Kingstown
Luccannah Knowls & Hannah Hoxsie
for Hopkintown Hannah Knowles and
Mary Willbur the Committee that was
appointed to assist Cyntha Collins in Drawing
up a paper Condemning her marrying out
from among friends have preformed that
servis the paper was Read and Approved &
[illegible] Luccannah Knowles is appointed
to see the same Read at the end of a first
day meeting where she belongs the friends
appointed to Draw a Denial against
Abigail Congdon have preformed that
the Denial was Read Approved and Sign
by the Clerk Luccanna Knowles is appoint
ed to se the same Read at the End of a first
Day meeting where she Did belong
The Committe appointed to inquire into the life
and Conversation of Elizabeth Pettis

Report that they Dont find a ny thing to hinder her haveing a Certificate the Certificate was Read Approved and Signd by the Clerks of Both mens and womens Meeting South Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Samuel Dye and Anna Rogers purposes to lay their intentions of takeing Eatch Other in Marrage Samuel Dye and Anna Rogers Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intentions of takeing Eatch Other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notis of and ~~and~~ [illegible] Refers them to the Next monthly Meeting for their answer Sarah Knowles and and Hannah Horsie is appointed to inquire into the young womans Clearness Consserning Marriage and make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting Southkingstown preparative Meeting informs that Peter Horsie and Sarah Rath Bun purposes to Lay their intentions of takeing Eatch Other in Marriage Peter Horsie and Sarah Rathbun Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intentions of takeing eatch Other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notis of and Refers them to the next monthly Meeting for their answer Luccanna Knowles and Ruth Rodman is Appointed to inquire into the womans Clearness Respecting Marriage and also ~~that~~ to se that the Rights of Children by Former marriages is not Neglected Hopkintown preparative meeting informs that Marcy Lortens Childeren have taken More liberty then our Dissepline allows of they being young and their Mother not a member of our meeting which this Meeting takes Notis of and

Refers it to the Next monthly meeting this Meeting is informed that Sarah Collins is Gone to Saratogue and and Desires a few Lines by way of a Certificate She being amember of our Meeting the Clerk is Directed to give her a Copy of this Minut no further business this Meeting ends

At a Monthly meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 27th of the 12 mo 1784 the Several Meetings being Called the Representatives are for Southkingstown Barsheba Knowles and Ruth Rodman for Hopkintown Mary Wilbur all present the friend that was appointed to Read the Condemnation of Cyntha Collins and the Denial of Abigail Congdon Report that She has Preformed that Servis the friends that was Appointed to Make inquiry into Anna Rogers Clearness Respecting Marriage make Report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding therein the friends that was Appointed to Inquire into Sarah Rathbuns Clearness Respecting Marriage Report that they find Nothing to hinder her proceeding their in Peter Hoxsie and Sarah ~~Hox~~ Rathbun Appeared in this Meeting and Declared that they ware of the Same Mind that they ware of last Monthly Meeting Respecting Marriage and Desired an Answer Nothing Appears to hinder they are allowed to proceed therein they keeping to the Good Order of Truth therein Profesed Barsheba Knowles and Martha Kinyon is Appointed to see the marriage of Peter Hoxsie and Sarah Rathbun Solemnised Samuel Dye and Anna Rogers appeared in this Meeting and Declared that they ware of the Same Mind that they ware of last monthly Meeting and

Deſires an Anſwer Nothing appears to hinder they are allowed to Proceed there in Agreeable to the Good Order Preſcribed in that Caſe Abigail Hoxſie and Ruth Foster are Appointed to See the Marriage of Samuel Die and Anna Rogers Solemniſed and make Report to the Next monthly meeting the Queries was Read and Anſwers agreed to an Account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Abigail Hoxſie is appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting no further buſineſs this Meeting ends

At a monthly meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 31 of the 1 mo 1785 the Several meetings Called their Repreſentatives Appearing are for Southkings town Sarah Hoxſie and Barſheba Knowles for Hopkin town Barſheba Collins and Mary Wilbur the Matter Conſerning Marcy Gortens Children has Been Conſidered in this Meeting it is thought beſt to be Diſmiſt for the preſent the Committe that was Appointed to See the Marriage of Peter Hoxſie and Sarah Rathbun Solemnized Report that it was Conducted as truth Requires the Committe that Committe that was appointed to See the Marriage of Samuel Die and Anna Rogers Solemnized report that it was Conducted Orderly no further buſineſs this meeting ends —

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmon the 28 of the 2 mo 1785 the Several meetings being Called there Repreſentatives for Southkingstown are Luccanna Knowls and Sarah Congdon for Hopkintown Mary Wilbur and Dorcas Wavour South Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Suſannah Wilcox

Daughter of Eliſha willcox is Deſirous of being taken
under friends Care which this meeting takes notis of
and appoints Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah Hoxſie to
make such inquiry as is neceſsary. and Report to the next
monthly meeting they Likewiſe inform that Lydia
Sheffield has tranſgreſsd in keeping Company ~~with one~~
~~not of~~ on Account of marriage with one not under friends Care Luccanna Knowles and Hannah Hoxſie is appointed to treat with her and
Report to the next monthly Meeting they alſo
Inform that Suſannah willcox wife of Arnold
willcox and Daughter of Stephen Champlin Deceaſd
having had a Right of memberſhip by Birth and
Some years paſt married out of Unity with friends
and being viſited on that account She has no
Deſire to be Continued under friends Care any
therefore this meeting Denies her any Longer
a Right of Memberſhip they likewiſe inform
that Elizabeth Gorton and Nathan Spenſer purpoſes to lay their intentions of takeing Eatch
Other in marriage in this Meeting Nathan
Spenſer and Elizabeth Gorton appeared in
this meeting and Declared their intentions of
takeing Eatch other in Marriage which this
Meeting takes notis of and Deſires them to
wait till the next Monthly meeting for
their Anſwer Anna Perry and Ruth Rodman
is appointed to inquire into the young woman
Clearneſs Conſerning Marriage with all
others Except the perſon She is about
to proceed with Received an Epiſtle from the
laſt Quarterly meeting which Contained
ſome Seaſonable advice which it is hope may
be attended to which alſo informs that
Suſanna Shove was appointed to the place

of an Elder for Uxbrig Monthly meeting and
Deborah Mory for Smithfield monthly meeting
Abigail Hoxſie informs this meeting that
She attended the Quarterly meeting this
meeting concluds and purpoſes to meet again
in the third month at the Same place
At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at
~~So Kingstow~~ Richmond the 28 of the 3 mo 1785
the Several meetings Called their Repreſentatives
Appearing are for Southkingſtown Lucreana Knowls
and Hannah Hoxſie for Hopkintown Catherine
Hoxſie and Catherine Kinyon the Committe appoint
ed to treat with Suſanna Wilcok Report that
they Dont find any thing to hinder her being
Received a member of our meeting She is Admit
ed a Member of our Religious Society the Com
mitte appointed to treat with Lyda Sheffield on
the Account of her keeping Company with one
that is out of Unity with friends Report
that they Dont find her of a Diſſpoſion to
Condemn the Same She is there fore Denied
any Longer a Right of memberſhip in
our Religious Society until She Return
and make friends Satiſfaction for her
Above Sd tranſgreſsion the Committe Ap
pointed to inquire into Elizabeth Gortens
Clearneſs Reſpecting marriage Report
that they Dont find any thing to hinder
her Proceeding there in Nathan Spenſer
and Elizabeth Gorten Appeared in this
meeting and Declared they ware of the
Same Mind they ware Laſt monthly Meeting
respecting marriage
and Deſires an anſwer they are allowed to
proceed there in they keeping to the Good

Order of truth preſcribed in that Caſe Anna Perry and Sarah Congdon is appointed to See the Marriage of Nathan Spencer and Elizabeth Gortens marriage Solomniſed and make Report to the next Monthly Meeting Sarah Hoxſie and Hannah Hoxſie is appointed to Draw a Denial a Gainſt Lyda Sheffield and bring to the next Monthly Meeting Southkingſtown Preparative Meeting informs that Ruth Perry wife of Edward Pery and Daughter of Samuel Perry Deceaſed hath Some time paſt married out from a mong Friends and being viſited on that account it appears that She has no mind to be Continued any Longer under friends Care She is Denied any Longer a right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society this Meeting is informed that Elizabeth Peckham wife of Peleg Peckham is about to Remove with her Huſband within the Compaſs of Rhoadiſland Monthly Meeting and Deſires a Certificate this meeting appoints Luceanna Knowls and Sarah Congdon to Join the mens Committe to make Such inquiry as may be neſsary and prepare one if they think Proper Southkingſtown preparative Meeting informs that Dorcas Barber wife of John Barber and her Daughter Phebe Barber has Removed to Rhoadiſland without a Certificate Sarah Hoxſie & Luceanna Knowls is appointed to Make the neceſsary inquiry Conſerning them and prepare a Certificate for them if they think proper againſt the next Monthly Meeting the Queries was Red and anſwers there to an account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting

And Signed by the Clerk Sarah Hoxsie and Hannah Hoxsie is Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting this Meeting Concludes and purposes to meet again at Sd Kingstown in the 4th month 1785

At a monthly meeting of women friends held at Sd Kingstown the 25th of the 4th mo 1785 the Several meetings Called there Representatives Appearing are for Sd Kingstown Hannah Hoxsie and Sarah Knowls for Hopkintown Mary Wilb the Committe that was Appointed to See the Marriage of Nathan Spencer and Elizabeth Gorton Solemnised Report that they Did not attend by Reason of the weather being Stormy but have been informed that the Marriage was Solemnised and Conducted in an Orderly manner the Committe that was appointed to Draw a Denial against Lydia Sheffield has prepared one which was Red approved and Signed by the Clerk Sarah Congdon is Appointed to See the Same Red at the end of a First day Meeting where She Did belong the Committe that was Appointed to Make inquiry Conserning Elizabeth Peckhams haveing a Certificate Report that they Dont find any thing to hinder her haveing one a Certificate was prepared for Sd Elizabeth and her Husband which was Signd by the Clerks of both mens and womens Meeting the Committe that was Appointed to make inquiry Conserning Dorcas Barber and her Daughter Phebe Barber Report that they Dont find any thing to hender there haveing a Certificate the Certificate was Read approved and Signd by both Clerks of the mens and womens meetings the friends Appointed

To attend the Quarterly Meeting Report that they Both attended it So Kingſtown preparative Meeting informs that Mary Gardner wife of Clothan Gardner & Daughter of David Green has married out from amongſt friends and that She was Pregnant before marriage all which this meeting takes notice of and Appoints Sarah Knowls and Lucanna Knowls to treat with her for her above sd tranſgreſsions and make Report to the next monthly Meeting

Received an Epiſtle from the Quarterly Meeting which was Read to Good Satiſfaction we are hereby informed that the Quarterly Meeting Deſired the Overſeers to Exert them Selves in ſtiring up offenders and Signify the Succeſs of their labour in the anſwers to the Queries

this Meeting Concludes and purpoſes to meet again at the Same place in the 5 mo 1785

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingſtown the 30th of the 5th m 1785 the Several Meetings called their Repreſentatives Appearing are for So Kingſtown Sarah Knowles and Alice Congdon for Hopkintown no Appearance the friend Appointed to See the Denial of Lyda Sheffield Read at the End of a firſt Day Meeting Report that She has preformed that Servis the Denial

The Denial of Lyda Sheffield

Whereas Lyda Sheffield Daughter of Elisha Sheffield Deceaſd who had a right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society and has tranſgreſt the Rules thereof in Keeping Company with one not a Member of our Society and being laboured with for her Recovery She would not Deſiſt therefrom we therefore Deny her any Longer a Right of Memberſhip in our Religious Society until She Return and Make Satiſfaction for her aforeſaid tranſgreſsion

This testimony of Denial was Given forth at
our Monthly Meeting of women friends held at
Richmond the 29th of the 11th mo 1784 by Order
of sd meeting by Sarah Congdon Clerk —

the Committe that was Appointed to treat with
Mary Gardner Report that they find her of a
Disposion to Condemn her past Conduct that matter
is Refered under the Care of the Same Committe
Mary Dockray Wife of John Dockray Sent in a
Peper Condemning her Attending an Entertainment
for a Mariage that was out of Unity with
friends which this Meeting Excepts of and
Appoints Alice Congdon to See the Same Read
at the End of a first Day Meeting Where She be
longs this Meeting Concludes and purposes to
meet again at the Same place in the Sixth Month

The Denials of Elizabeth Parker and her two
Daughters of ye 10th mo 1783 and Abigail Congdons
of the 11th mo 1784 was omited to be Recorded in their
proper place is here Recorded

Whereas Elizabeth Parker wife of James Parker
of Southkingstown and her two Daughters Mary
Parker and Alice Parker hath had a Right of
Membership in our Religious Society but hath
of Transgresst the Rules there of in Not Attend
ing our Religious Meetings And Attending Others
Meetings for worship not in Unity with friends
And altho friends have with them and laboured much for their
Recovery they Dont incline to Condemn there
Transgressions but Rather to Justify them
selves therein therefore we Deny them any
Longer a Right of Membership in our

The Denial of Elizabeth Parker and her two Daughters

Religious Society until they Shall Return and make Friends Satisffaction for their ~~[illegible]~~ Afore'sd Transgressions Given forth at our Monthly meeting of women friends held at Richmond the 27 of the 10 mo 1783 by

Sarah Congdon Clerk

The Denial of Abigail Congdon

Whereas Abigail Congdon wife of Joseph Congdon and Daughter of John Dockray hath had a Right of membership in our Religious Society but has Transgressed the Rules there of by Marrying Contrary there to altho She was advised previously and Seasonably to the Contrary we therefore Deny her any longer a Right of Member Ship in our Religious Society untill She Return and Make Satisffaction for her afore Sad transgression this testamony of Denial was given forth at our Monthly meeting of women friends held Richmond the 29th of ye 11th mo 1784

by Sarah Congdon Clerk

At a Monthly meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown the 27th of ye 6 mo 1785 the Several Meetings Called their Representatives Appearing are for Southkingstown Bathsheba Knowles and Sarah Knowles for Hopkintown Catharine Hoxsie and Martha Kinyon the business of Mary Gardner is Continued under the Care of the Same Committe the friend that was appointed to See the ~~paper~~ that Mary Dockray Sent in Read at the ends of a first day

Meeting Report that She has preformed that
Westerly Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs
that Martha Perry and Sarah Perry Both
Daughters of Stephen Perry has Removed within
the Compass of Rhodeisland monthly meeting
and Desires a Certificate which this meeting
takes notis of and appoints Martha Kinyon
and Mary Wilbur to make the necessary in
quiry Conserning their haveing a Certificate
and to prepare one for them against the
Next Monthly Meeting if they Dont find
any thing to Obstruct it Received a Certifi
cate for Elizabeth Pettice wife of Jonathan
Pice and her three Children Viz Amos Lyda
and Hepzibath from Rhodeisland Month
ly Meeting the Queries was Red and answers prepard an account
was drawn to send to the Quarterly Meeting Bathsheba Knowles Sarah Knowles
and Ruth Rodman are appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting Sarah
Congdon is Appointed to the office of a Clerk for the presen
Year

At a Monthly Meeting of of women friends
held at SoKingstown the 1st of the 8th mo 1785 the
several meetings Called their Representatives
for SoKingstown are Sarah Knowles and
Alice Congdon for Hopkintown Martha
Kinyon and Martha Davis all present Except
Martha Kinyon the business Conserning Mary
Gardner is ~~Refered under~~ Continued under
the Care of the Same Committe the business
Conserning Martha Perry and Sarah Perry
haveing a Certificate is Refered to the Next
Monthly Meeting the Committe appointed to
treat with Mary Sagar and Dorcas Hoxsie
on the account of their not attending
meetings Report that they Give but Little
incouragement of being More Diligent

in attending meetings for the future that matter is ~~referred~~ Continued for further Consideration the Representatives Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting Report that they all attended it Appointing and Reappointing of Overseers Came under the Consideration of this meeting Bathsheba Knowles and Sarah Horsie is Reappointed to the place of Overseers Sarah Wilbur is Appointed to the place of an Over Seer Sarah Knowles Daughter of John Knowles is appointed to the place of an Over Seer for further Appointment we Refer to the next Monthly meeting Received an Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting Recommending the Reading of the yearly meeting Minute in both Monthly & preparative Meetings Conserning the Disuse of Spiritous Liquers ~~they~~ and likewise inform ~~inform~~ that Swansey Monthly meeting Apointed Hannah Earl to the place of an Elder which they approve of we also Received Transcrips of Long Island and filidelphia Epistles Long Island Dated from the 28th of ye 5th month 1785 to the 1th of the 6 month. Philidelphia Datd the 29 of the 9th mo to the 3th of the 10th mo 1784 Containing Satisfactory and Seasonable advice no further business this meeting ends

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingstown the 29th of the 8 month 1785 the Several meetings Called their Representatives for So Kingstown are Hannah Horsie & Elizabeth Hazard for Hopkintown Bathsheba Collins Mehetable Collins all present except Elizabeth Hazard who Could not attend by Reason of Sickness the business of Mary Gardner is Refered to the Next Monthly meeting under the Care of the Same Committe the Committe Appointed to Make Inquiry

Conſerning Martha Perry and Sarah Perrys haveing a Certificate Report that they dont find the way Clear for their haveing at preſent that matter is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting Sarah Hoxſie and Bathſheba Knowles Was Reappointed to the place of overſeers Sarah Knowles appointed to the place of an Over Seers at the laſt Monthly Meeting for So Kingſtown Preparitive Meeting Sarah Wilbur was Appointed to the Place of an Overſeer at the laſt Monthly meeting Mary Wilbur is Reappointed to the place of an Over Seer both for Hopkintown preparative Meeting Luceanna Knowles is Appointed to the place of an Over Seear for So Kingſtown preparitive Meeting So Kingſtown preparitive Meeting informes that Alice Robinſon wife of Silveſter Robinſon has been two Negligent on the Account of Attending Our Religious Meetings Which this Meeting takes notis of and Appoints Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Congdon to treat with her on that account and Report to the Next Monthly Meeting South Kingſtown Preparitive Meeting informs that Mary Browing wife of Joſeph Browning Who had a Right of Memberſhip by Birth in our Religious Society but has tranſgreſsd the Rules there of in Marrying out from among friends which this Meeting takes notis of and Appoints Abigail Hoxſie and Sarah Congdon to treat with her for her Recovery and Make Report to the Next monthly Meeting Received a Certificate for Elizabeth Pettis Tuner from Rhoad Iſland Monthly Meeting no further buſineſs this Meeting ends

At a Monthly of women friends held at So Kingſtown the 26th of the 9th mo 1755 the Several Meetings Called their Repreſentatives for South Kingſtown are

Abigail Hoxsie and Sarah Knowles both present for Hopkintown etc appearance the Committe that was Appointed to Treat with Mary Gardiner Report that She Seems willing to Condemn her misconduct and has Sent in a paper Condemning the Same which this meeting excepts of haveing the approbation of the mens Meeting there with we appoint Alice Congdon to See the Same Read at the end of a first Day Meeting where She belongs the business Conserning Martha Perry and Sarah Perrys having a Certificate is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting the Committe Appointed to treat with Alice Robinson for her not attending Meetings Report that She Gives incouragement that She would be more Diligent for the future that matter is ~~Refered~~ Continued under the Care of the Same Commite the Committe Appointed to visit Mary Browning the wife of Joseph Browning Report that She Gives but little incouragement for ana mendment that Matter is Refered to the next Monthly the Queries was Read and Answers prepared an Account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly meeting Sarah Congdon & Abigail Hoxsie is Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting no further business this Meeting

At a Monthly Meeting of womens friends held at Richmond the 31th of ye 10th mo 1785 the Several Meetings being Called their Representatives for Southkingstown are Elizabeth Peckham and Hannah Hoxsie for Hopkintown Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Wilbur all present the friend that was Appointed to See the Paper which Mary Gardiner Sent in Condemning her Misconduct Read at the end of a first Day

Meeting Report that She has preform'd that Servis the Committe that was Appointed to Make inquiry Conserning Martha Perry and Sarah Perrys Haveing a Certificate haveing further informed this Meeting that they Understand that they have Attended places of Diversion where there was Fiddleing and Dancing Martha Kinyon and Mary Wilbur is Appointed to inform them of what is Laid to their Charge and further to Let them know that they Must Condemn the Same be fore they Can have a Certificate Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Congdon is Appointed to treat with Mary Browning for her Marrying Out from a mong friends and Make Report to the next Monthly Meeting the Epistle from the Last Quarterly Meeting was Read to Good Satisfaction and Likewise informes that Dorcas Arle is Appointed to the place of an Elder from Rhoadisland Monthly Meeting the Representatives Appointed to Attend the Monthly Meeting informes that they Both attended it haveing no further business this Meeting ends

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held Richmond the 28th of ye 11th mo 1785 the Several Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingstown are Alice Congdon and ~~Sarah~~ Sarah Congdon for Hopkintown Martha Kinyon and Mary Wilbur all present Except Martha Kinyon the business of Martha Perry and Sarah Perry is Continued under the Care of the Same Committe the business Conserning Mary Browning is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting Abigail Horsfie and Sarah Congdon is Appointed to treat with her and Make Report to the next Monthly Abigail Hoxſie is appointed in the Room of Elizabeth Peckham She Desired to be Diſmiſd from that Servis this Meeting is informed that Abigail Sheffield Daughter of Elisha Sheffield Deceaſd is in want of a home Sarah Knowles is appointed to Join with Andrew Nicols in Providing one for her Andrew Nicols is one which the men has Appointed for that Servis this Meeting ends and Concluds to meet again in the 12 month at the Same place

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held a Richmon the 26th of 12 mo 1785 the Several meetings being Called their Representatives for South Kingsto are Abigail Hoxſie and Sarah Knowles for Hopkintown no Apperance the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Martha Perry and Sarah Perry informes this Meeting that they have Acquainted them of what has been laid to their Charge by ~~writing~~ Righting but have had no anſwer Sarah Congdon is Appointed to Draw up an account to Send to the monthly Meeting at Rhoadiſland where sd Martha Perry and Sarah Perry has Removed to leting them know the State of the Caſe and bring to the next Monthly Meeting the Committe that was Appointed to treat with Mary Browning Report that She has no Mind to be Continued under friends Care She is no Longer Conſidered as a member of our Religious Society one of the Committe that was Appointed to provide a home for Abigail Sheffield Report that they have provided one for her the Queries ware Read and the anſwers thereto an count was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Sarah Knowles is appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting

Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs that Suſannah Gardner wife of Fones Gardner has amind to viſit her ~~friends~~ ~~in~~ Relations in Saratogue and alſo in the Oblong and Deſires a few Lines Signifying her being a member ~~the~~ ~~Clerk~~ She being a Member of our Society the Clerk is Directed to give her a Copy of this minute haveing no farther buſineſs this Meeting Ends

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond the 30th of the 1 mo 1786 the Repreſentatives appointed to attend the Monthly meeting are for SouthKingſtown Hannah Hoxſie and Ruth Rodmon both preſent ~~for~~ Hopkintown no appearance the Repreſentative appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting Report that She Attended it the Epiſtle from the Quarterly meeting was Read in this Meeting to good Satisfaction no more buſineſs this Meeting ends

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond the 27th of ye 2 mo 1786 the Several meetings Called their Repreſentatives for Southkingſtown are Sarah Knowles and Alice Congdon for Hopkintown Barſheba Collins & Mary Widbur all preſent There was a Shortneſs in the Laſt minute in Saying No More buſineſs as the Minute of the 12th mo was Not preſent the Account that was to have been brought to the Laſt monthly Meeting Conſerning Martha Perry and Sarah Perry ~~for~~ haveing a Certificate was omited by Reaſon of the weather it was brought to this Meeting and

Read Approved and Signd by the Clerk the Clerk
furniſhed Suſannah Gardner with a Copy of a
minut to Go to Saratogue and Oblong according
to apointment this meeting Concluds and purpoſes
to meeting a gain in the third month

At a Monthly meeting of women friends held at
Richmond the 27 of the 3 mo 1786 the Several Meet
ings Called their Repreſentatives for Southkingſtown are
Sarah Congdon & Sarah Knowles for Hopkintown
Mehetable Collins and Dorcas Weavour all preſent
except Dorcas Wevour who Could not attend by
Reaſon of Sickneſs Southkingſtown preparative
meeting informs that Sarah Congdon wife of
Charles Congdon is about to Remove to Newport
with her Huſband and family and Deſires a
Certificate which this Meeting takes notis of
and appoints Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah
Congdon to make the neceſsary inquiry
Conſernning her haveing a Certificate and pre
pare one if they dont find any thing to
Obſtruct againſt the next Monthly Meeting
the Queries was Read and Anſwers prepar
ed an account was drawn to Send to the
Quarterly Meeting and Signed by the Clerk
Sarah Knowles and Hannah Hoxſie and
Mehetable Collins is Appointed to attend
the Quarterly Meeting this Meeting Concludes
and purpoſes to Meetagain at So Kingſtown
in the 5 month

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends
held at So Kingſtown the 1th of ye 5 month 1786
the Several meetings Called their Repreſen
tatives appearing are for South Kingſtown

Alice Congdon and Mary Kinyon for Hopkintown Mary Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur the buſineſs Conſerning Sarah Congdons haveing a Certificate is Refered to the next Monthly meeting the repreſentatives Appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting report that they all attended Southkingſtown preparative meeting informs that Martha Fowler widow of James Flown sent in a paper Condemning her Marrying out from a mong friends which this meeting takes notis of and appoints Abigail Hoxſie and Sarah Knowles to make inquiry into her Life and Converſaſion and report to the Next Monthly Meeting Received an Epiſtle from Laſt Quarterly Meeting which Advice was Seaſonable and well Excepted this Meeting Concludes and purpoſes to Meet a gain at the Same place in the 5th month

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingſtown ye 29th of ye 5th mo 1786 the Repreſentatives for Southkingſtown are Alice Congdon and Hannah Haſzard Alice Congdon preſent Hannah Haſzard informs this Meeting that She Could not attend by Reaſon of Indiſpoſition of Body Hopkintown no Appearance we Refer the buſineſs to the Next Monthly Meeting by Reaſon of not having the Monthly Meeting Minuts

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Southkingſtown the 26th of the 6 Month 1786 the Several Meetings Called their Repreſentatives Appearing are for Southkingſtown Hannah Hoxſie & Hannah Haſzard for

Hopkintown Bathsheba Collins and Martha Kinyon the business Conserning Sarah Congdons haveing a Certificate is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting the Committe Appointed to treat with Martha Fowler Conserning her having a Certificate Report that they dont find any thing to hender her having one Alice Congdon is appointed to prepare one for her against the next Monthly Meeting Received a Certificate for Elizabeth Peckham from Rhod Island Monthly Meeting ~~the~~ Dated the 29th of the 11th Mo 1785 and one for Mary Dockray and her Sister Elizabeth Dockray from Rhodisland Monthly Dated the 30th of the 5th month 1786 Southkingstown preparative Meeting informs that Mary Robinson Daughter of Silvester Robinson is keeping Company with one not of our Society on the Account of Marriage which this Meeting takes notis of and Appoints Hannah Haszard and Abigail Hoxsie to treat with her on that Account and Make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting South Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Knowles purposes to lay her intentions of Marriage with Gerge Haszard before this Meeting Gerge Haszard and Sarah Knowles Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intentions of takeing Each other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notis of and Refers them to the next Monthly Meeting for their Answer Abigail Hoxsie and Sarah Hoxsie is appointed to make the necessary inquiry Concerning her Clearness of Marriage ingagements and Consent of parents & Make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting the Queries was Read and Answers prepared an Account was drawn to send to the Quarterly Meeting Hannah Hoxsie Sarah Congdon and Hannah Haszard are Appointed to Attend the ~~next~~ Quarterly Meeting at Smithfeild

The Denial of Stephen Collins Notifi'd by the men was Read and Approved of in this Meeting this Meeting Concludes and purposes to Meet again at the Same place in the Seventh Month

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingstown the 31th of the 7th m 1786 the Several Meetings Called their Representatives for South Kingstown are Alice Congdon and Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Mehetable Collins and Mary Wilbur all present the business of Sarah Congdons having a Certificate is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting the friend that was appointed to prepar a Certificate for Martha Fowlar has prepard one which was Read Approved and Signed by the Clerks of both Mens & Womens Meetings the Committe that was appointed to treat with mary Robinson on Account of her keeping Company with one not of our Society on the Account of Marriage Report that they Dont find her of a Disposition to Condemn her Conduct and further Says that She intends to persist there in She is Denied any Longer a Right of membership in our Religious Society until She Returns and Makes friends Satisffaction for the Same Elizabeth Peckham and Sarah Congdon is Appointed to Draw up a testamony of Denial against Sd Mary ~~[illegible]~~ Robinson and bring to the Next Monthly Meeting the Committe appointed to Make inquiry Conserning Sarah Knowles is Clearniss Respecting Marriage Report that they Dont find any thing to hinder her Proceeding there in George Hazzard and Sarah Knowles appeared in this Meeting and Declared they y are of the Same mind they ware of Laſt Monthly Meeting Reſpecting marrage and Deſires an Anſwer Nothing Appearing to hender they are allowed to proceed there in they keeping to the Good order of truth there in preſcribed Sarah Hoxſie & Hannah Hoxſie is Appointed to See their Marriage Solemniſed and Make Report to the next Monthly meeting Received an epiſtle from the Quarterly meeting which was Read to Good Satiſfaction with Tranſcrips of Rhodeiſland Longiſland and Philidelfia Epiſtles Rhodeiſland Dated th 9th of th 6th mo 1786 Longiſland Dated th 27 of the 5th mo 1786 Philidelfia Dated the 26th of the 9th mo 1785 which was Read to our Satiſfaction and Edification two of the Repreſentatives Appointed to Attend the Quarterly meeting Report that they attended the Other Left in the Reaſon that She Could Not attend this meeting Concludes and purpoſes to Meet again in the 8th mo at the Same place

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at So Kingſtown the 28th of ye 8 mo 1786 the Several Meetings Called their Repreſentatives for So Kingſtown are Hannah Haſzard and Sarah Haſzard for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur all Preſent the buſineſs Concerning Sarah Congdons haveing a Certificate is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting the ~~Denial~~ Committe that was Appointed to Draw up a Denial againſt Marry ~~Dockray~~ Robinſon have preformed that Servis the Denial was Read Approved and Signed by the Clerk for the Day Hannah Haſzard is Appointed to Read the Same at the end of a firſt Day Meeting where She Did belong and Make Report to the Next Monthly meeting the Committe that was Appointed to See the Marriag of Gorge Haſzard and Sarah ~~Haſzard~~ Knowles Solemniſed Report that ~~they~~ it was Conducted Orderly Received a few lines from Martha & Sarah Perry Condemning their Miſconduct which is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting for further Conſideration this Meeting Concludes and purpoſes to meet again in the 9th Month at the Same place

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends held at
Southkingstown the 25th of the 9th mo 1786 the Several
Meetings Called their Representatives for Southkingstown
are Sarah Congdon and Thankful Dye for hopkin
town Martha Davis and Martha Kinyon all present
the business Conserning Sarah Congdons having a
Certificate is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting
the friend that was Appointed to Read the Denial of
Mary Robinson Report that She has preformed
that Servis The Denial

Where as Mary Robinson Daughter of Silvester
Robinson hath had a Right of Membership in our
Religious Society by Birth but hath of late transgressed
the Rules there of in ~~Marrying~~ Keeping Company
with one that is Not of our Society on the Account
of Marriage Altho She has been timely Laboured
with and Sutably Admonnished She still Persists
there in and Refuses to Make Friends Satisfaction
for the Above said Transgression for which She
is Denied any Longer a right of Membership
in our Religious Society until She Return and Make friends
Satisfaction for the Same given forth At our Month
ly Meeting of held at Southkingstown the 28th of the 8th mo
Signed on behalf of sd Meeting by 1786

Sarah Congdon Clerk

The Paper that Martha and Sahah Perry sent in
was not Received ~~by Reason~~ with Satisfaction
This Meeting Appoints Elisabeth Peckham and
Hannah Hazzard to Assist them in Drawing a
few Lines Condemning their Misconduct and
Report to the Next Monthly Meeting This
Meeting Doth Acquiess with the Men in Receiving
William Peckham in to Membership with them

The Queries was Read and Anſwers prepare an Account was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Bathſheba Knowles & Mary Dockray is Appointed to attend the Same Hophintown Preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Bragg and her Daughter Anna Bragg is about to Remove to Saratogue and Deſires a Certificate which this Meeting takes notis of and appoints Martha Kinyon and Mary Wilbur to Make the Neceſsary inquiry Conſerning their haveing a Certificate and prepare one for them if they find nothing to Obſtruct and bring to the Next Monthly Meeting Thankful Dye is Added to the Committee that is to Treat with Sarah Congdon on the Account of her haveing a Certificate the Meeting Concludes and purpoſes to Meet again at Richmond in the 10th mo

At a monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond the 30th of the 10th Mo 1786 the Several Meetings Called their Repreſentatives for So Kingſtown are Sarah Hoxsie & Hannah Hoxsie for Hophintown Martha Kinyon and Mary Wilbur all preſent the Buſineſs Conſernings haveing a Certificate is Refered to the Next Monthly Meeting the Comittee Appointed to Aſsiſt Martha and Sarah Perry in Drawing up a Condemnation of their Miſs Conduct Report that they Dont find them of a Diſpoſition to Condemn there Tranſgreſsions So full as is thought Neceſsary Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Wilbur is Appointed to treat with them on that account and Aſsiſt them if they find it Neceſsary in Drawing up a Condemnation of their Miſs Conduct and Make Report as soon as they have preformed that Servis the Comittee that was Appointed to Make Inquiry Conſerning Sarah Bragg and her Daughter Anna Bragg Report that they Dont find any thing to hinder Sarah Braggs haveing a Certificate her Daugh Anna Concludes not to go our Repreſentatives Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting both attended it Received an Epiſtle from the

Quarterly Meeting which was Read to Good Satisfaction Received a few lines from the Overseers of Rhoadiſland Monthly Meeting Requesting this Meeting this Meeting to make inquiry Conserning Ruth Weaver Daughter of Thomas Weaver Deceaſd having a Right of Membership in our Monthly Meeting that Matter is Refered to the next Monthly Meeting this Meeting ends and purposes to Meets again in the 11th Month at the same place ——

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmon the 27th of the 11th Month 1786. The Several Meetings Called their Representitives for So Kingstown are Alice Co For Hopkinton Mary Willbur all Present ——

The Comtee that was Appointed to make Enquiry Concerning Sarah Congdons having a Certificate report that they dont find the way Clear, for having one by reaſon of the ill Uſage of a Boy that was under their care, that Matter is referr'd to the next Monthly Meeting under the Care of same Comtee —

One of the Comtee that was Appointed to Treat with Martha and Sarah Perry report that they are not Willing to Condem their Transgreſsions to friends Sattiffaction, That matter is referr'd to the next Monthly Meeting, The Buſineſs Concerning Ruth Weavers having a Right of Membership amongs Friends is referrd to the next Monthly Meeting So Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that John Nichols and Mary Kinyon proposeth to Lay their Intentions of Marriage before this Meeting, John Nichols and Mary Kinyon Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their Intentions of Taking Each other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and refers them to the next Montl Meeting for their answer Sarah Congdon and Sarah Haz is Appointed to make Enquiry Concerning the Young womens Clearneſs Respecting Marriage Engagements and Consent of parents & Report to next Monthly Meeting — This Meeting Concludes and Adjourns to ye 12th Mo. at the Same place —

At a Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the 5th day of ye 1st Mo. 1787 The Several Meetings being Called their Representitives for So. Kingstown Luceanna Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie. Sarah Hoxsie present for Hopkinton Mehetabel Collins and Mary Wilbur Neither of them present. Sarah Congdon Wife of Charles Congdon Sent in a paper condemning her in Abusing a Boy that Lived with them beyond the Bounds of Moderation. That Matter is referred to next Monthly Meeting —

One of the Com.tee that was appointed to make Enquiry into Mary Kinyons Clearneſs of Marriage with all Others Except the person She is about to proceed with reports that She finds nothing to hinder her procedure therein it is Expected that the Difficulty of Traveling hindred the Other from making report. John Nichols and Mary Kinyon Appeared in this Meeting and Declared they were of the Same mind they were of Last Monthly Meeting Respecting Marriage and desired an Answer nothing Appearing to hinder they are Allowed to proceed therein keeping to the good order prescribed in that Case Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard are Appointed to See the Marriage Solemnized and Report to the Next Monthly Meeting — The Queries was read and Answers agree'd on in this Meeting to Send up to the Quarterly Meeting, one Account was drawn up to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Sarah Hazard is Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting.

At our Monthly Meeting held at Richmond ye 29th of ye 1st mo 1787. the Several Meetings being Called their Representitives for S. Kingstown are Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie — for Hopkinton Mehetabel Collins and Sarah Wilbur — Mehetabel Collins not present the paper Which Sarah Congdon Sent to the Last Monthly Meeting Was Considered in this Meeting and in the Mens Meeting and is receiv.d and Ordered to be read at the End of a first day Meeting where She Attended at that time Sarah Knowles is Appointed to See that it is read and report to the next Monthly Meeting — Sarah Hoxsie reports that She Attended the Marriage of John Nichols and Mary Kinyon and thought it was Concluded Orderly, and Sarah Hazard Sent in a — a Sattisfactory Reason for her not Attending

Sarah

Sarah Hazard inform'd this Meeting that she Attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreeable to Appointment —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 26th of ye 2d Mo. 1787 the Several Meeting called their Reprinstitives for S. Kingstown are Sarah Hazard and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Hannah Knowles and Catherine Kinyon all preſe the friend that was Appointed to See the paper read at the end of a firstday Meeting that Sarah Congdon Sent in Concerning her Abusing a boy that was under her care report that She has performed that Service, The Buſineſs concerning Martha & Sarah Perry and Ruth Weaver that was Minuted in ye 11th Mo. was not Acted upon at the Two Last Monthly Meetings by reaſon they had not that Minute the Buſineſs Concerning Martha and Sarah Perry is refer'd to the next Monthly Meetg

Mary Wilbur is Appointed to write Answer to a Letter that Came from Newport friends Concerning Ruth Weavers having a Right of Membership amongst friends and to Let them know the State of the Case. An Epistle from the yearly Meeting at London Dated 1786 was read to good Satisfaction. This Meeting Concludes and proposeth to meet again in the 3d Month at the Same place —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held ye 26th of ye 3d Mo. 1787. The Several Meetings Call'd their Repreſentives for S. Kingstown are Sarah Congdon and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Mary Wilbu all present, The Buſineſs Concerning Martha and Sarah Perry is referd to next Monthly Meeting. —

The Buſineſs Concerning Ruth Weaver is referd to next Monthly Meeting Mary Wilbur is Still Continued to Write to friends of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting of the State of the Caſe

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Suſannah Gardner Wife of Jones Gardner is about to remove

To Saratoga and Desires a Certificate which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Martha Kinyon and Hannah Hoxsie to make the Necessary Enquiry Concerning her life and Conversation and draw a Certificat if they find Nothing to Obstruct and report to Next Monthly Meeting The Queries was read and Answers prepared an Account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting. Sarah Congdon and Ruth Rodman Are Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting. This Meeting Conclud and proposeth to Meet again in the 4th mo. at S. Kingstown

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at S. Kingstown the 30th of the 4th Mo. 1787 the Representatives to Attend the Monthly Meeting are for S. Kingstown Alice Congdon & Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Mehetabel Collins and Sarah Collins all Present Except Mehetabel Collins, Luceanna Knowles and Alice Congdon is Appointed to Treat with Martha and Sarah Perry on the Accoun of their former Transgression which they have been treated with heretofor and report as soon as they Conveniently can) a few lines was drawn to Answer to a Letter we receivd from Two friends belonging to Rhode Island Monthly Meeting Concerning Ruth Weavers having a Right of Membership in Our Monthly Meeting and Signed by the Clerk, The Comtee. that was Appointed to Enquire into Susann Gardner life and Conversation report that they dont find any thing to hinder her having a Certificate they have prepar'd one which was read Approved and Signd by the Clerks of Both Mens and Womens Meetings, The Representatives Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting Report that they Both Attended it,

Martha Fowler's Certificate that was Sent to Rhode Islan Monthly Meeting Dat. 7th Mo. 1786 was Sent back Objected to by Reason that it was not Set fourth that She was Clear of Marriag Engagements and her Outward Affairs Settled Alice Congdon and Mary Dockray is Appointed to make the Necessary Enquiry Concerning those Objections and make report to ye next Monthly Meeting. S. Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Mary Dockray Daughter of John Dockray Deceasd — Requests a Removal Certificate to Rhode Island Monthly

Meeting

Meeting Susanna Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie are Appoin
to Make the Necessary Enquiry and prepare one if they find
Nothing to Obstruct and Bring to the Next Monthly Meeting
They Also Inform that Sarah Congdon proposeth to Lay her
Intentions of Marriage with Simeon Perry at the Next Monthly
Meeting. Simeon Perry and Sarah Congdon Appeared in
this Meeting and Declared their intentions of taking Each
other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and
Refers them to the next Monthly Meeting for their Answer
Hannah Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard are Appointed to make
Enquiry Whether She has the Approbation of those Concernd
and that the Rights of her Children by a former Marriage
are Not Neglected and report to the Next Monthly Meeting
We Receivd an Epistle from Our Last Quarterly Meeting
Containing Some Seasonable advice which was read to
Sattisfaction this Meeting Adjourns to the Same place in
the 5th Month —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kings-town the 28th of ye 5th mo. 1787, Their Representitives Appearing
are for So Kingstown Sarah Hazard and Elizabeth Peckham —
for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Dorcas Weaver the
Friends that was Appointed to make Enquiry on Account
of Martha Fowlers having a Certificate report that She —
appears to be Clear of Marriage Engagements and her
Outward Affairs Setled to Sattisfaction a Certificate was
read approved and Signd by the Clerks of Both Meetings
The Friends that was Appointed to make Enquiry concerning
Mary Dockrays having a Certificate report that they
find Nothing to Obstruct a Certificate was read Approv
and Sign'd by the Clerks of Both Meetings —
The Friends that was Appointed to make the Necessary
Enquiry Concerning Sarah Congdons Clearness
of

Of Marriage and that the Rights of her Children are Legally & duly Secured; Report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding therein Simeon Perry and Sarah Congdon Appeared in this Meeting and Declared they were of the Same mind they were of Last Monthly Meetg and Desired an Answer, they are Allowed to proceed in Marriage keeping to the good Order prescribed in that Case; Abigail Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard are Appointed to See the Marriage Solemnizd and report to Next Monthly Meeting. This Meeting Concludes and to meet Again the 6th Mo. at this place —

Sarah Congdon Wife of Charles Congdn Condemn her misconduct

These lines are to Inform you that I have through inattention to ye Light and truth in my Own Heart Some time past whiped and Bruised a Boy that Livd with me wherein I Exceeded the Bounds of that Moderation and good Example truth requires, and thereby have Exposed the profession made by Friends and Transgressed the Rules of their Society all which I am very Sorry for and do hereby Condemn my sd Misconduct and Desire friends to pass it by and Continue their Watchfull care over me hoping I Shall be more carefull for the future —

To the Monthly Meeting of Friends to be held at Richmond
the Day of mo. 1786 — Sarah Congdon
wife of Charles Congdon —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown the 25th of the 6th Month 1787, the Several Meetings Called their Representitives are for So. Kingstown Sarah Hazard and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon & Mary Wilbur all Present, the friends that was Appointed to See the Marriage of Simeon Perry and Sarah Congdon Soleminsed report that it was Conducted Orderly, Dorcas Weaver, Sarah Wilbur Sarah Hoxsie, Sarah Hazard, and Alice Congdon is Appointed to the place of Overseers, The Queries were read and Answeres Agreed on an Account was Drawn up to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Which was read Approvd and Signd by the Clerk, the Representitives Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting is Sarah Hazard & Sarah Perry this Meeting Adjourns and Concludes to Meet again at the Same place at the Usual Time —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown the 30th of the 7th Month 1787, the Representitives Appearing for South Kingstown are Bathſheba Knowles, for Hopkinton Mehetabel Collins & Bathsheba Collins, the Representitives Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting report that they Attended it. The Comtee Appointed to treat with Martha Perry and Sarah Perry report that they have treated with Martha and they find her of a Diſpoſitio to Condemn her aforesd. Transgreſsions and has sent in a paper Condemning the Same which this Meeting Accepts of and Appoints Mary Wilbur to See the Same read at the End of a first day Meeting where She did belong. The Same Comtee is Continued to Treat with Sarah Perry and report as ſoon as they Conveniently Can — South Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Martha Dye Wife of Daniel Dye, Requests that She may be taken under the Care of friends which this Meeting takes notice of and Appoints Mary Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie to Treat with her on that Account and report to the next Monthly Meeting Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Mehetabel Collins is about to go to Saratoga to viſit her relations and Desires a few Lines by Way of Certificate this meeting having unity therewith Directs the Clerk to give her a Copy of this Minute She being a Member of this Meeting, A copy was granted her Accordingly Receivd. Extracts from the Yearly Meeting Epistles of Women friends from Phyladelphia dated 25th of ye 9th Mo. 1786, one from Westbury on long Island dat. 25th of 5th Mo. 1787, from the Mens Meeting One from Rhode Iſland dat. from 9th to 13th of ye 6th Mo. 1787 one from Phyladelphia dated 25th of 9th Mo. 1786, One from Westbury on long Island dat. 26th of ye 5th Mo. 1787. one from London dat. 5th of ye 6th Mo. 1786, This Meeting Adjourns and proposed to meet again in the 8th Mo. at the uſual Time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstow the 27th of the 8th Month 1787 the Several Meetings being Called their representi

-are, for South Kingstown Elizabeth Peckham and Hannah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Sarah Wilbur all present the friend Appointed to See the paper that Martha Perry Sent in Condemning her misconduct read at the End of a first day Meeting, report that She has performed that Service The Comtee. appointed to Treat with Martha Dye Report that they have treated with her and She Appears in Some good Degree of an Orderly Life and Conversation and principled with friends and Appears Sincere in her request, this Meeting Accepts of this report and Admits her into Membership with them, This Meeting Adjourns and Concludes to Meet aga at the Usual Time and place

Martha Perry Con=
=demned her Misconduct

To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends to be held at So. Kingstown the 30th of ye 7th Mo. 1787 — Through inattention to the Light made manifest in my own heart I ~~have~~ Some time past attended a place where there was Vain Musick and dancing, and was actively concerned therein, which I am very sorry for, and Desire Friends to pass it by and Continue thei watchfull Care over me, desiring that I may be more carefull for ye future

Martha Perry

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown the 1st day of the 10th mo. 1787, the Several meetings being called, their representitives are for So. Kingstown Elisabeth Peckham and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Martha Davis & Sarah Wilbur all Present

The Comtee. that was Continued in ye 7th mo. last to Treat with Sarah Perry report that they find her of a Disposition to Condemn her Transgression and She has Accordingly Sent in a paper Condemning the same which this Meeting with the mens Concurrence Accepts of and Appoints Sarah Wilbur to See the Same read at the End of a first day Meeting where She did belong at that time, The men friends inform this Meeting that they were about to Receive Joseph Healy as a Member of Our Religious Society Which this meeting Concurs with,

South Kingstown preparative meeting informs that the Over-seers informed them that there a Number who thought they had a Right of Membership amongst friends, which friends were not fully Sattisfied about and So. Sent it up for Our Consideration which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Sarah Wilbur Alice Congdon Hannah Hoxsie and Ruth Rodman as a Comtee. to Examine the Records and Consider Such other Circumstances as may be Necessary and Report as soon as is Convenient to the Monthly Meeting

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Thankfull Collins wife of Amos Collins desires to be Admitted into membership with friends which this meeting takes notice of and Appoints Martha Kinyon and Sarah Willbur, to treat with her and Enquire into her life and Conversation and Report to the Next Monthly Meeting as also their Sence of the Cincerity of her Request — They further inform that Lucy Wilkinson (formerly Lucy Smith) and Daughter of Richard Smith had married out of unity with friends and Removed without the verge of our Monthly Meeting and friends has had no Oppertunity with her on the Occation wch this Meeting Notices and Appoints Bathsheba Collins & Martha ~~Collins~~ Kinyon, to Write to the Monthly Meeting that She has removd within the verge of and request their Assistance and report when they have a return, The Queries was read and Answers agreed on in this meeting, An Account was drawn up to Send to the Quarterly Meeting and Signed, Ruth Rodman and Elisabeth Peckham is Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting this Meeting Adjourns and Concludes to meet again in the 16th Mo at Richmd.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond ye 29th of ye 10th mo 1787, the Several Meetings being called the representitives are for South Kingstown Alice Congdon & Ruth Rodman, for Hopkinton Mary Willbur & Sarah Willbur — all Present except Alice Congdon, who Sent a verbal report that it was through Indisposition of body that She could not Attend, The friend that was Appointed to read the paper that Sarah Perry Sent in Condemning her Conduct reports that She has not read it by reason that the mist of taking the paper She is Still Continued for ye Service and to report next monthly Meeting, The Comtee that was Appointed to Treat with Thankfull Collins respecting her requesting the care of friends, report that they have not performed it by reason that they have not had an Opportunity with her they are still Continued for ye Service & to report next Monthly Meeting.

Ruth Rodman informs this meeting that she Attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreeable to Appointmt.

Martha Dye brought in a paper Condemning her Suffering some of her Children to go to a Marriage not of friends & She being invited went to Breakfast with them which this Meeting Accepts of having the Approbation of the Men's Meeting,

And

And Appoints Abigail Hoxsie to See the same read at the end of a first day
meeting where She belongs,
This Meeting Adjourns and Concludes to meet again in 11th mo. at ye Same place —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond ye 26th of ye 11th mo. 1787
The Several Meetings being called their Representitives for So. Kingstown are Hannah Hox
and Thankfull Dye, for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Mary Wilbur all present
except Thankfull Dye which did not Attend by reason of Sickness —
The friend Appointed to See the paper read that ~~Sup~~ Sarah Perry Sent in Condemni
her Miscondt. report yt She has perform'd ye Service,

Sarah Perry Condemns her Misconduct —

"To the Monthly Meeting of Women friends to be held at So. Kingstown ye 1st of ~~the~~ 10th mo.
" 1787. Through inattention to the truth made Manifest within some time past
" I Attended a place where was vain musick and Dancing, which I condemn and am
" Sorry for and desire friends to pass it by and Continue their watchfull care over me ~
" desiring that I ~~might~~ may be more carefull for ye future, Sarah Perry

The Comtee. that was Appointed to Treat with Thankfull Collins on the Acct. of her
being taken under friends care, report that She Appears to be Sincere in her request
and that She is in principles with us She is Admitted a member of Our religious
Society we having the Approbation of the Mens Meeting therein,
The friend that was Appointed to See the paper that Martha Dye Sent in Condemnin
her Misconduct Read, Report that She has perform'd that Service,

Marthey Dye Condemns her Misconduct — —

" Dear Friends whereas through Unwatchfullness, I have given my Consent
" to three of my youngest Children to go to See a Marriage which was not of friends
" and Likewise I having an Invitation went to Breakfast with the family where
" the Weding was held, all which I do Condemn, and am Exceeding Sorry for and
" desire friends to pass it by and Continue Your Watchfull care over me, hoping
" the Allmighty will Enable me to keep upon my Watch for ye future
To the Monthly Meeting of Women friends to be held at
Richmond for So. Kingstown ye 29th of ye 10th mo. 1787 — Martha Dye

The Comto. appointed ye 1st of ye 10th mo. to Examine the records Concerning Some
who thought they had a right of Membership among friends Report as followeth
Which Report is receiv'd:
This Meeting Adjourns and proposeth to meet again at the usual Time & place

At a Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the 31st of ye 12th mo. 1787
the Several Meetings being called their representitives are, for So. Kingstown
Lucianna Knowles, & Ruth Rodman, for Hopkinton Mehetabel Collins
& Mary Wilbur, Ruth Rodman & Mary Wilbur Present Lucianna Knowl
Sent a Sattisfactory reason for her not Attending this Meeting
So. Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Martha Dye ~~requests~~
Wife of Daniel Dye requests friends to take five of her children under
their Care Namely Enoch Paddack Dye, Daniel Dye, Elisabeth Dye, Andrew Dye,
and James Dye which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Thankfull
Dye and Sarah Hoxsie to Join the mens Comtee to visit them and ye
family

Family on that Acct. and report to next Monthly Meeting.

The Queries was read and Answers agreed on in this Meeting with direction to Send them with the Acct. to the Quarterly Meeting by Hannah Hoxsie and Ruth Rodman who are Appointed Representitives to Attend the Quarterly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and Adjourns to meet again at Richmond the 1st mo.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 29th of the 1st mo: 1788, the Several Meetings being Called their Representitives for So. Kingstown are Alice Congdon & Ruth Rodman, for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur, all Present, The Comtee. that was Appointed to visit Martha Dye & her Husband & Children on Acct. of her Childrens being taken under friends Care Report that they have had a Sollid Oppertunity with the family and think well of their being Receivd: as Members, and they are receivd as Members of this Meeting.

Ruth Rodman informed this meeting that She did not Attend the Quarterly Meeting, by Reason of Indisposition of Body, this Meeting was also informd that the weather prevented Hannah Hoxsie's Attending ye Quarterly Meeting. We receivd: an Epistle from the Last Quarterly Meeting which was read to Sattisfaction, The Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting of men, was read in this Meeting Both tending to Stir us up to more Deligence

This Meeting Concludes to Adjourn & to meet again ye 2d. Mo. at Richmond

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 25th. of the 2d. Mo. 1788, the Several Meeting being Called their Representitives are for So. Kingstown Alice Congdon & Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur & Catherine Kinyon all present,

This Meeting Concludes and Adjourns to meet again ye 3 Mo. at Richmd.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond ye 31st of the 3d. mo 1788. the Several Meetings being Calld, their representitives are for So. Kingstown Ruth Rodman, for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon & Bathshebah Collins all present,

Sarah Congdon wife of Charles Congdon requests a Certificate to ye Monthly Meeting of Rhode Island for herself and three Children — Bathsheba William & Mary which this meeting takes notice of and Appoints Sarah Perry to perpare one against the next Monthly Meeting.

So. Kingstown Preparative Meeting Informs that Elisabeth Pettyes Requests a Certificate herself and four of her Children Elisabeth, Amos, Lydia, and Hepsibah, which this meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Sarah Hazard and Alice Congdon to Enquire into their life and Conversation and to see if Their Outward

affairs,

Affairs are Setled and prepare one if they dont find any thing to Obstruct against the next Monthly Meeting

The Queries were read and Answers Agreed on, and an Account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting, Hannah Hoxsie & Ruth Rodman is Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting,

Mehetabel Collins returnd. the Copy of the Minute which she had to go to Saratoga dated ye 7th mo 1787. with an Endorsment thereon Signifying that She had Attended their Monthly Meeting,

We are Informed by the mens Meeting that Hannah Knowles Daughter of Robert Knowl wants Assistance for her Support we Appoint Mary Wilbur, and Hannah Hoxsie to Join the mens Comtee. to visit her and Consider what method will be best for her Support and report to next Monthly Meeting-

This Meeting Concludes and Adjourns to the fourth month at South Kingstown

At a Monthly Meeting of friends held at So. Kingstown ye 28th of the 4th mo. 1788 the Several Meetings being Called their representitives for So. Kingstown are Sarah Hazard, and Ruth Rodman, for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Thankfull Collins. all present but Ruth Rodman,

The friend that Was Appointed to draw a Certificate for Sarah Congdon and Children hath presented One which was read Approvd. & Signed by the Clerks of Both Meetings -

The Comtee. that was Appointed on Acct. of Elisabeth Pettyes and her Children having a Certificate have made no report that that matter is referr,d under the care of the Same Comtee.,

This Meeting was inform'd that the representitives Attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreeable to Appointment,

We receivd. an Epistle from the last Quarterly Meeting Which was read to Sattisfaction.

The Comtee. that was Appointed to make Inspection respecting Hannah Knowles,r Support, Report that they think it best for her to remain with her Mother and that friends hand to her what Appears Necessary for her Support. Abigail Hoxsie and Sarah Hoxsie are Appointed to Join the mens Comtee. for that Service,

So. Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that William Peckham requ the Care of friends for his Children Namely Sarah, Alice, William & Mary they are received as Members of this Meeting Agreeable to ^his request they being all Small

Peckham's) Chn. rec:)

This Meeting Concludes and Adjourns to ye 5th mo. at So. Kingstown-

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown the 26th day of the 5th mo. 1788, the Several Meetings being Called their Representitive for So. Kingstown are, Sarah Hazard, and Marcy Peckham, for Hopkinton Martha Kenyon and Bathsheba Collins, all present

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The matter Respecting Elizabeth Sellyes and her Children having a Certificate is referd under the care of the same Comtee, the Comtee that was Appointed to join the mens Comtee Respecting Hannah Knowles are Continued for ye Service

South Kingstown preparative Meeting ~~inform~~ inform'd that Elizabeth Barber Daughter of John Barber Deceasd and Mary Gardner Wife of Nathan Gardner, are removed within the verge of Greenwich Monthly Meeting without Requesting Certificates, Which this Meeting takes Notice of and have Wrote to the Monthly Meeting where they now reside to Acquaint them thereof

Was Read a Copy of a Minute from the Quarterly Meeting held at Greenwich on Acct of friends not being Carefull Enough in Attending their particular Meetings (viz) Westerly and So Kingstown upper Meeting House with Advice for friends to Extend their care towards Such Delinquents and we wish that friends Would take that tender Admonition into Consideration and be more Stirred up for the future.

This Meeting Concludes and Adjourns to ye 6th ind. at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown ye 30th of the 6th mo. 1780, the Several Meetings being Called their representitives for South Kingstown are, Sarah Hazard and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Thankfull Collins, all present the Queris were read and the Answers Agree'd and an Acct was Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Sarah Wilbur and Alice Congdon are Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting

The Comtee Appointed to make the Necessary Inquiry Concerning Elizabeth Sellyes and her Childrens having Certificates make report that they find Nothing to Obstruct and that they drawn Essays of Certificates Accordingly, which were read approvd and signd by the Clerks of both mens and Womens Meetings the Comtee Appointed to have the oversight of Hannah Knowles make no report

This Meeting Concludes and Adjourns to ye 7th mo. 1780 in the Same place

At a Monthly meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown ye 28th of ye 7th m: 1780. the Several Meetings being Called their Representitives for Southkingston are Sarah Hazard and Marce Peckham for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Martha Kinyon all present

The Comtee that was appointed to join the mens Comtee respecting Hannah Knowles make Report that they attended that Service. The Comtee that was Appointed to write to Providence Monthly meeting concerning Lucy Wilkinson, Make Report that they have performed that Service

A letter was receiv'd from Providence Monthly Meeting that they had appointed a Comtee for that Service which has made report which was enclosed the report not being Satiſfactory to us, And is Sent back for Amendment

Receivd an Epistle from the last Quarterly Meeing with Extracts of Philidelphia and Long Island yearly Meeting Epistles which was read in this Meeting to Satisfaction

Sarah Hoxſie Sarah Hazard Alice Congdon Martha Kinyon Dorkas Weaver Sarah Wilber are Appointed to the Place of Overſeers. Alice Congdon is appointed Clerk this year. Sarah Hoxsie and Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah Hazard are appointed to receive the Books and Papers from the former Clerk and Deliver to the Preſent Clerk, and make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting. this Meeting adjourns and Concludes to Meet again at the Usual Time and Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston the 1st day of the 9th Month 1788. the Several Meetings being called the Repreſentatives are for South Kingston Hannah Hoxſie and Marcy Peckham, for hopkinton Martha Kinyon, and Mary Willber, all preſent. The Friends appointed to receive the Records and Papers from the former Clerk and Deliver them to the Preſent one, make Report, that thay have performed that Service, This meeting adjourns and propoſes to meet again at the uſual time & Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingſton the 29th of the 9th month 1788. the Several meetings being Called the Repreſentatives are, for South Kingston Abigail Hoxſie, and Sarah Hazard, for Hopkinton, Dorcas Weaver, and Mahetibel Collins, all preſent, the Queries ware read in this meeting and anſwers thereto agreed on an account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting, Martha Kinyon, and Alice Congdon, are appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting. Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Ruth Collins daughter of John Collins deceased has married out of the unity of Friends which this meeting takes notice of and appoints Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Hoxſie to treat with her on that account and make Report next monthly Meeting, and likewise to make inquiry of her mother and Siſter whether they have diſcharged their duty towards her.

Some of the overſeers having met took into Conſideration the State of our Monthly Meeting and think it might be uſeful to appoint Some friends to viſit Friends families, which we Refer to the next Monthly Meeting farther Conſideration, This Meeting adjourns and concludes to meet at the uſual time at Richmond.

At a monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond the 27th of yr 10th Mo 1788. The Several meetings being Called the Repreſentatives are for Southkingston, Sarah Hazard & Sarah Hoxſie, for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber & Anna Bragg, all preſent,

This Meeting is informed that the Repreſentatives attended the Quarterly Meeting agreable to appointment, the Committee appointed to treat with Ruth Main, informed this Meeting they was not Ready to make report, that Matter is refer'd under the Care of the Same Comtee That matter

Reſpecting appointing Some Friends to viſit Friends families is refer'd to the next Monthly Meeting.

this Meeting adjourns and concludes to meet again at the usual time and place.

At a ad ~~Mo~~ Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond ye 1st of 12th Mo: 1788, the Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for SouthKingſton none appearing, for Hopkinton Thankfull Collins, and Mary Wilber, the Comtee appointed to treat with Ruth Main, formerly Ruth Collins, have made report which was not Satiſfactory and is Returnd for amendment.

The matter reſpecting appointing friend to viſit Friends Families is refer'd to the next Monthly Meeting, this meeting is informed that ~~[illegible]~~ Mary Gardner Wife of Nathan Gardner and Elizabeth Barber daughter of John Barber deceaſd are both Removed within the Verge of Greenwich Monthly Meeting without Certificates, Mary Wilbor and Sary Hoxſie are appointed to Write to Greenwich Monthly Meeting on that acct. and report to the next Monthly Meeting, this Meeting adjourns and concludes to meet again in the firſt Mo: at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 29 of the 12th Mo: 1788. the Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for Southkingſton Alice Congdon and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Hannah Allen and Mary Wilber all preſent except Alice Congdon who Sent a Satiſfactory Excuſe, the Queries were Read ~~in~~ and anſwers agreed on in this Meeting an account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Repreſentatives who are Sarah Wilber and Ruth Rodman, the committee appointed to treat with Ruth Main made report and is as followeth, Agreable to appointment we your Comtee have treated with Ruth Main Reſpecting her Marrying out of unity with Friends and She Seems deſireous to make Friends Satiſfaction, and inform'd us that She would write to the Monthly Meeting, But we fear She is not Enough Sencible of the Reproach She has brought on the Tru all which we Submit to Friends of the Monthly Meeting to be held Richmond the 29th of ye 12th month 1788. (Dorcas Weaver Sarah Hoxſie) The matter reſpecting appointing Some Friends to viſit Friends famalies is Refer'd to the next Monthly Meeting.

This Meeting is informd that the Com:tee tha: was appointed to write to Greewich Monthly Meeting Respecting Elisabeth Barber, and Mary Gardner have perform.d that Service

Receivd a Certificate from Portsmouth Monthly Meeting in Behalf of Rebecca Cook which is as followeth

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,, From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Portsmouth, for Rhode Island
,, the 28th of the 10th mo 1788. To the Monthly Meeting of friends at South Kingston
,, Dear Friends
,, Rebecca Cook wife of Silas Cook, having removed from us, with her husband,
,, to live within the verge of your Monthly Meeting, And Requesting a few lines by
,, way of Certificate.. These may inform. that She is a member of our Society,
,, and was, when of ability of body, a pretty constant attender of our Meeting
,, and as such we recommend her to your Christian Care
,, Signed in, and on behalf of Said Meeting By. Alice Almy Clerk

Hopkenton preparative Meeting informs that Joseph Collins Jun:r and Hannah Sheffield proposes to lay their intententions of Marriage before this Meeting. Joseph Collins and Hannah Sheffield apeared in this Meeting, and declard their intentions of taking Each other in Marriage, which this Meeting takes Notice of, and desires them to wait untill the next Monthly Meeting for An answer. this Meeting Appoints Sarah Wilbur, and Mary Wilbur, to make the necessary Enquiry into the Young Womans Clearness respecting Marriage, and make Report to the next Monthly Meeting. Hopkinton Pr Preparative Meeting informs, that Mary Weaver Daughter of John Weaver is Removed to live within the verge of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting, and Requests our Certificate, which this Meeting takes Notice of, and appoints, Mary Wilbur, and sarah Wilbur, to make the necessary Inquiry, and prepare one if they find nothing to hinder her having one, this Meeting ~~to the~~ Adjourns to the useal time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 26th of ye 1st mo 1789. the Several Meetings Being Called their Representatives are, for South Kingstown Katherine Knowles, and Ruth Rodman, for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Mary Wilber all present. The friends appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting make report that they did attend. That matter respecting ~~is Refer~~ Ruth Main is Referd for farther Consideration. That Respecting appointing Some Friends to Visit Friends famili is refer'd to the next Monthly Meeting. The Committy appointed to Enquire into Hannah Sheffiel.s Clearness Respecting Marriage Report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding therein.— The Comtee that was appointed to make the necessary Enquiry respecting Mary Weaver.s having a Certificate Report that they find nothing to obstruct her having one and Accordingly have have drawn one Which Was Read approved and Sign.d in this Meeting, Which is as followeth,

Mary Weaver's Certificate

"From our Monthly Meeting of Women held at Richmond for South-Kingston the 26th day of the 1st Mo 1789. To the Monthly Meeting of Women at Rhode Island. --- Dear Friends ——

"Mary Weaver, daughter of John Weaver, hath Removed to live within
" the Verge of your Meeting and Desires our Certificate, these May
" therefore Certify on her behalf that She is a Member of our Meeting
" and appears to be of an Orderly Life and Conversation and has Settled
" her outword affairs and is Clear of Marriage Contracts as far as
" appears, And as Such We Recommend her to your Christian Care
" With Desires for her Preservation and growth in the Truth ——
" Signed in and on behalf of ye Meeting By Alice Congdon Clerk

Joseph Collins Junr and Hannah Sheffield appeared in this Meeting and declaired thay ware of the Same mind they ware of last Monthly and desired an answer, Which this Meeting takes notice of and as there Appears nothing to obstruct they are allowed to proceed they keeping to the good order of Friends Prescribed on that account. Sarah Wilber and Hannah Hoxsie are appointed to see the Marriage Solemnized and Report to the next Monthly Meeting.

Southkingston Preparative Meeting informs that Soloman Kinyon & Eunice Sheffield proposeth to lay their intentions of Marriage before this Meeting. Solomon Kinyon and Eunice Sheffield appeared in this Meeting, and declaired their intention of taking Each other in Marriage, which this Meeting takes notice of, & desires them to wait until the next Monthly Meeting for a Answer. Hannah Hoxsie and Sarah Wilber are appointed to Make the necessary inquery into her clearness Respecting Marriage, and Report to the next Monthly Meeting. This Meeting adjourns and Concludes to meet again in the second Mo in this place.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmon the 23d of 2d Mo 1789 the Several meetings Being called their Representatives are, For Southkingstown Sarah Hazard, and Alice Congdon, for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber, and Anne Bragg, all present.

Abigail Hoxsie, Sarah Wilber, Alice Congdon, and Mary Wilber, are appointed to Visit Friends families, and make report when they have performed Said Service.

The Comttee that was appointed to See the Marriage of Joseph Collins and Hannah Sheffield Solemnised Report that it was conducted Orderly, The Comttee Appointed to Enquire into Eunice Sheffields Clearness Respecting Marriage report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding therein. Solomon Kinyon and Eunice Sheffield, appeared in this Meeting and Declared the Continuance of their intentions of Marriage, and desired an answer, and as nothing appears to Obstruct they are allowed to proceed therein, they keeping to the Good order prescribed in that Case, Abigail Hoxsie, and Thankful Dye, are appointed to See the marriage —— Solemnized, and Report to next Monthly Meeting.

Was read an Extract from the minutes of the Quarterly Meeting held at Providence the 8th & 9th days of 1st Mo.

This Meeting Adjourns and Concludes to meet again at the usual time & place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond Ye 30th of Ye 3d Month 1789. The Several Meetings being Called Their Representatives are, for South Kingston Hannah Hoxsie and Mary Knowles, for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins, and Mehitabel Collins, all present.

The Queries ware Read in this Meeting, and Answers thereto agreed on, an account Was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting, By our Representatives Who are, Sarah Hazard, and Abigail Hoxsie, Received a few lines from Mary Gardner Requesting our Certificate to Greenwich Monthly Meeting, Agreable to her Request a Certificate Was drawn, approved, and Signed By the Clerk in this Meeting, Which is as followeth

" From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond for South—
" Kingston the 30th of the 3d Month 1789.
Mary Gardner Certificate
" To the Monthly Meeting of Women to be held at East Greenwich. Dear Friends
" Mary Gardner wife of Nathan Gardner has Removed to Live within the Verge
" of your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate, these therefore may
" Certify on her Behalf that She is a member of our Meeting and as Such
" We Recommend her to Your Care desireing her growth in the Truth ——
" Signed in and on Behalf of Said meeting By Alice Congdon Clerk—

The Committee appointed to See the Marriage of Solomon Kinyon and Eunice Sheffield Solemnized Reports that it was conducted in a good Degree orderly to their observation Except Some of the Spectators, in which Some Rudeness appeared and a few yong friends Who did not Conduct So orderly as they Could have wished on whom Some labour was bestowed.

The matter of Ruth Mairn is taken again into Conſideration and Martha Rinyon and Bathſheba Collins are appointed to treat with her and make Report to the next Monthly Meeting. — — The Report from Providence Monthly Meeting reſpecting Lucy Wilkerson which was ſent back for amendment Laſt 7th month is Returned to this meeting, and is as followeth that She does not appear of a diſpoſition to Condemn her out-going wherefore She is denied any longer a Right of memberſhip in our Religious — Society untill She Returns and makes ſatiſfaction for her tranſgreſsion;

This meeting adjourns unto the uſual time at South Kingſton upper meeting houſe.

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at South Kingſton 7d 27th of ye 4th Mo 1789 the ſeveral meetings being called their Repreſentatives are for Sᵒ Kingſton Marcie Peckham and Abigail Hoxſie for Hopkinton Hannah Collins and Sarah Wilbor all preſent Except Sarah Wilber whom this meeting is informed was prevented by Sickneſs. The repreſentatives Report that they attended the Quarterly meeting agreeable to appointment, that matter Concerning Ruth Main is Referd to the next monthly meeting. This meeting adjourns and Concludes to meet again at the uſual time & place

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Sᵒ Kingſton 7d 8th of the 6th mᵒ 1789 The Several meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for Sᵒ Kingſton Abigail Hoxſie and Hannah Hoxſie for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Bathſheba Collins all preſent. — The matter reſpecting Ruth main is Referd under the care of the Same Comtee; Alice Munro appeard in this meeting and informs that She had So far given away to paſsion as to Strike a Woman and was deſireous to make friends Satiſfaction Sarah Wilber Sarah Hoxſie and Abigail Hoxſie are appointed to treat with her, and alſo to make the neceſsary inquiry into the Circumſtances of the Caſe and make Report to the next monthly meeting,

This meeting adjourns and Concludes to meet again at the uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Sᵒ Kingſton the 29th of the 6th Mᵒ 1789. the Several meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for South Kingſton Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxſie for hopkinton Martha Rinyon and Sarah Wilber all preſent except martha Rinyon who this meeting is informd is prevented by Sickneſs. The Queries were Read and anſwers agreed on in this meeting an account was drawn up to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Repreſentatives who are Alice Congdon and Hannah Hoxſey. The matter reſpecting Ruth main is refer until the next monthly meeting under the Care of the Same Comtee the Comtee appointed to treat with Alice Munro Report that they have performed that ſervice and that She deſires friends to wait with her a whi

that matter is Refer.d under the Care of the Same Comtee to make report to the ne
monthly meeting this meeting adjourns to the usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at So Kingston ye 27 of 7th Month 1789
the Several meetings Being called their representatives are for So Kingston Sarah ~~Hox~~
Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Mary Wilber all present,
this meeting is informed that the Representatives attended the Quarterly meeting agreeable
to appointment, the matter Respecting Ruth Main is refer.d under the Care of the Same
Comtee to make report to the next monthly meeting. The Comtee appointed to treat with
Alice Manro made Report which is as followeth. According to appointment we have treated
with Alice Munro Respecting her Striking Phebe Carr with a hammer &c. and do not
find her of a disposition to Condemn her mis conduct which we submit to the Considera tion
lice of the monthly meeting which this meeting Receives and having the Concurrance of the mens
unro.s meeting therein deny her ~~any~~ any Longar a right of membership with us untill She
enied Returns and makes Satisfaction. Luceanna Knowles and Alice Congdon are appointed to
draw a testimony of denial against her and bring to the next monthly meeting
Receiv.d the Epistle from the Yearlymeting of Rhodisland dated from ye 12th of the 6 month
789. to the 16th of the Same, was Read also one from Philidelphia Dated from the 12th to the
16th of the 9th Mo 1789 one from westbury on Long Island dated from the 30th of 5th Mo
to the 4th of the 6th 1789 all which ware Read to good Satisfaction. Alice Congdon
is chosen Clerk for this year. the consideration of appointing overseers has come
before this meeting which we refer to the next monthly meeting, this meeting adjourns
and concludes to meet again at the usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston ye 31 of 8th
Month 1789. The Several Meetings being called their Representatives are for
So Kingston Sarah Hoxsey and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver
and Martha Kinyon, all present. The matter respecting Ruth Main is refered to the
next Monthly Meeting under the care of the Same Comtee. The Friends appointed
to draw a Testamony of Denial against Alice Munro, have performed that —
Service, the reading of it at the end of a first day Meeting is Refered on Account
of her not having notice thereof. Abigail Hoxsey, Sarah Hazard, Ruth Rodman,
Alice Congdon, Bathsheba Collins, Martha Kinyon, and Dorcas Weaver, are
appointed to the Place of Overseers for this Year. Hopkinton Preparative
Meeting informs that Rachel Healy wife of Joseph Healy has a desire to be taken
& She also appearing in this meeting and Continues her Request
taken under Friends Care, Which this Meeting takes notice of and appoints Sarah
Wilber and Mary Wilber to treat with her and make report to the next monthly meeting,
This meeting adjourns to the Usual time and Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at So Kingston ye 28th of ye 9th Mo 1789
the Several meetings being Called their Representatives are, for So Kingston Hannah
Hoxsey and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Katherine Kinyon and Thankful Collins, all present

The Queries was read and answers thereto agreed on in this Meeting an account was drawn up and Signed by the Clerk, and Sent up to the Quarterly meeting by our Repreſentatives who are, Sarah Hazard, Abigail Hoxſey, and Deborah Rodman, The matter Reſpecting Ruth main is Refer'd to the next Monthly Meeting under the Care of the Same Comttee. Alice Munro not being informed that the Teſtimony of Denial was drawn up againſt her, Alice Congdon is appointed to inform her thereof and to See the Same read at the End of a firſt day meeting at the Lower meeting houſe in So. Kingſton, and make Report to the next monthly meeting. The Comttee Appointed to treat with Rachel Healy, make report which is as followeth. According to appointment We have Viſited Rachel Healy reſpecting her Requeſt to Be taken under the Care of Friends and having a Sollid opportunity with her, She Appears to be of an Orderly Life and Converſation and principled with Friends, and we think Sincere in her Requeſt and believe it may be well to Receive her, All Which we Submit to the Monthly meeting to be held at So. Kingſton the 28th of 9th Mo. 1789. Samuel Sheffield, Mary Wilber, Sarah Wilber.

Rachel Healy Received as a member

Which this Meeting Excepts of and Receives her as member of our Religious Society, Having the Approbation of the mens Meeting therein.

This meeting Adjourns to the Uſual time at Richmond

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond the 26th of the 10th Mo. 1789 The Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for So. Kingſton Ruth Rodman and Thankful Dye, for hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Dorcas Weaver All preſent.

This Meeting was inform'd that the Repreſentatives attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreable to appointment.

The matter Reſpecting Ruth Main is Refer'd under the Care of the Same Comttee. The Friend that was appointed to Read the teſtimony of of Denial againſt Alice Munro, made Report

This Meeting Receiv'd a Certificate from Smithfield Monthly Meeting On behalf of Eliſabeth and Sarah Knowles Daughters of Robert and Hannah Knowles, Which is as followeth

Eliſabeth and Sarah Knowles's Certificate

From Our Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Smithfield the 24th of the 9th Mo. 1789. To the Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at So. Kingſton.

Dear Friends

These are to Certify that Eliſabeth and Sarah Knowles Daughters of Robert and Hannah Knowles returned Some time ago to live within

" the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and upon loking over Our Records
" we dont find that they have had any Certificate which we Suppoſe muſt have
" been Omitted by reaſon of our Meeting not being informed of their removal, as
" they ware Children and placed Some diſtance from this Monthly Meeting,
" we therefore recommend them to your Chriſtian Care and Overſight as Members
" Signd in and by Order of Sd Meeting By Elizabeth Arnold Clerk

This Meeting adjourns and Concludes to meet Again at the Uſual time at Richmon

At a Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the 30th of the 11th Mo 1789 The Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for So Kingston Abigail Hoxſey and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Martha Davis and Martha Kinyon all preſent. The matter Reſpecting Ruth Main is referd under the Care of the Same Comtee. The friends appointed to read the teſtimony of denial Againſt Alice Monro makes Report that She has performd that Service. ——

This Meeting Adjourns to the uſual time at this place.

At a Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the 28th of the 12th Mo 1789 the Several Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives Are for So Kingston Ruth Rodman and Hannah Hoxſey, for Hopkinton, Mary Wilber and Sarah Wilber Ruth Rodman, and Sarar Wilber, not preſent Sarah Wilber Sent a ſatiſfactory reaſo for her not attending this Meeting. The matter Reſpecting Ruth Main is Referd under the Care of the Same Comtee. The matter Reſpecting Mary Seagar and Dorcas Hoxſey who Some time paſt was Complained of for not Attending meetings is Again revived in this Meeting, And refert ~~till~~ the next Monthly Meeting.

The Queries was read and anſwers thereto agreed on, the Account was drawn up and Signed By the Clerk and Sent up with the anſwers, to the Quarterly Meeting by Our Repreſentatives Who Are, Mary Wilber and Hannah Hoxſey

A Certificate from Acoakſet Monthly Meeting was Received ~~Which is as follows~~ the on behalf of Sarh Peckhan Which is as followeth.

Sarah Peckhams Certificate

" To the Monthly Meeting of Friends in So Kingston
" Reſpected friends, Theſe are to inform that Sarah Peckham a member of
" Our Meeting hath Removed to Live within the Verge of your meeting and
" Requeſted our Certificate, therefore theſe may Certify that her Life and
" Converſation hath been in a Good degree orderly, She hath Setled her
" outward affairs and Clear of marriage ingagements, as far as appears
" by inquiry. Therefore we deſire your Chriſtian Care over her
" from our monthly meeting of friends held at   John Moſher Clerk
" Acoakſet the 19th of 9th mo 1789 Signed in and on behalf Mehetable Caſe Clerkn
" of our Said meeting By

This Meeting Adjourns to the usual time at this place,

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond ye 1st of ye 2d Mo 179 the Several Meeting being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Ruth Rodman and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Sarah Wilber. all present. The matter Respecting Ruth Main is refered under the Care of the Same Comtee.

The matter respecting Mary Seagar and Dorcas Hoxsey is refered untill the next Monthly Meeting. This Meeting is informd that the Representatives attended the Quarterly Meeting agreable to appointment

SouthKingston Preparative informs that Abigail Robinson Daughter of Sylvester Robinson hath transgressed friends rules by keeping Company with one not of Our Society, which this Meeting takes notice of and appoints Lucanna Knowles and Ruth Rodman to Treat with her and to make report to the next Monthly Meeting.

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond the 1st of ye 3d Mo 1790 the Several Meetings being Called the Representatives are for So Kingston Sarah Hoxsey and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Mary Wilber all present The matter respecting Ruth Main is referd under the Care of the Same Comtee and to make Report to the next Monthly Meeting

Mary Wilber and Abigail Hoxsey are Appointed to treat with Mary Seagar and Dorcas Hoxsey on Account of their not Attending Meetings and to Report as they Conveniently can.

The Comtee Appointed to treat with Abigail Robinson made report which not being Satisfactory is Returnd back for amendment

This Meeting receivd a few lines from Elizabeth Robinson Wife of Rowland Robinson requesting Our Certificate, She having removd without the Verge of this Monthly Meeting Some years past and now Resides at new Cornwell Sarah Hoxsey and Abigail Hoxsey are Appointed to draw a Certifycate for ye Elisabeth Robinson and present to the next Monthly Meeting if they find nothin to Obstruct.

This Meeting is inform.d that Freelove Harris wife of Elisha Harris is appointed to the place of an Elder for Greenwich Monthly Meeting

This Meeting is inform.d that Simeon Perry, Peter Hoxsey, and Robert Knowles (Son of John) are Nominated to the place of Elders which is referd to the next Monthly Meeting for farther Consideration.

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond the 30th of the 3 Mo 1790
the Several meetings being called their Representatives are for So Kingston Abigail
Hoxsey and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Mary Wilber all present

The Queries ware read and answers Agreed on in this meeting An account ~~are~~
drawn up to Send to the Quarterly meeting by Our Representatives who are Thankful
Collins and Sarah Wilber. The Comtee appointed to Treat with Ruth Main made no
Report that matter is Refered to the next monthly meeting. The Comtee that was appointed
to treat with Abigail Robinson made a report which is as followeth
" According to appoint we your Comtee have treated with Abigail Robinson on account of her
" Keeping Company with one not of Our Socitty She gave no incouragement of desisting
" therefrom but Said She Expected to proceed Marriage with him
Which this meeting Accepts and denies her any Longar a Right of membership in our Religious
Society untill She Returns and makes Satisfaction for her aforesaid Trangression,
Alice Congdon and Ruth Rodman are appointed to draw a Testimony of
denial against her and present it to the next monthly meeting.
The Comtee appointed to draw a Certificate for Elizabeth Robinson Report they find
nothing to Obstruct her having one, and accordingly have drawn one and presented
to this meeting, The Signing of which is refered to the next monthly meeting, for want
of time to lay the Same before the mens meeting.

Southkingston preparative meeting informs that Hannah Dockray hath
transgressed the rules of Friends by going ~~away~~ from her friends and relatives
where She lived with a young Indian man in the manner Commonly Called
runing away with him in a reproachful manner as She Confessed She had been
too free with him, Which this meeting takes notice of and appoints Sarah Hoxsey
and abigail Hoxsie to treat with her for her aforesaid transgression and report
as Soon as they Convenantly Can. This meeting Adjourns to the Usual time at
So Kingston

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at So Kingston ye 26th of ye 4th Mo 1790
the Several meetings being Called the Representatives are for So Kingston Marcy
Peckham and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Mary Wilber all
present. The Representatives report they attended the Quarterly meeting agree
able to appointment. The matter Respecting Ruth Main is again refered under
the Care of the Same Comtee.
The Comtee appointed to draw a testamony of denial against Abigail Robinson
Report that they have performed that Service which this meeting takes accepts of
and Appoints Ruth Rodman to See the Same read at the end of a firstday
Meeting where She Commonly attends, and make Report to the next monthly meeting
The Certificate for Elizabeth Robinson was Signed By the Clerks of both meetings
So Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Dockray
has Removed to Newport to live with a relation and Requests a few lines
to Rhod Island monthly meeting, to Certify her having a right of
membership in ours. Accordingly a Certifycate was Drawn for ye Elizabeth
Dockray approved and Signed in this meeting.

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that William Wilber propos to lay his intention of mariage with Anna Bragg before this meeting, they having produced the Conſent of their Parents in writing, the sd William Wilber and the sd Anna Bragg both Appeard in this meeting and declaird their intentions of taking Each Other in marriage, which this meeting takes notice of and Refers them to the next monthly meeting for an anſwer Abigail Hoxſie and Sarah Hoxſie are Appointed to make the neceſsary inquiry into the yong womans Clearneſs reſpecting marriage and make report to the next monthly meeting.

Received an Epiſtle from the Quarterly meeting held at Greenwich Dated the 8th and 9th of the 4th Mo 1790 tending to Stir us up to more diligence in the attending of our meetings.

This meeting Adjourns to the uſual time and place

At a monthly meeting of women friends held at So Kingſton the 31st of the 5th month 1790. The Several meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for So Kingſton Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah Hoxſie for Hopkinton Katherine Hoxſie and Sarah Wilber ~~all preſent~~ Sarah Wilber and Sarah Hoxſie preſent, Hannah Hoxſie sent a Satiſfactory Reaſon for her Abſence. The matter Reſpecting Ruth Main is referr'd under the Care of the Same Comtee.

The friend that was Appointed to See the Teſtimony of Denial of Abigail Robinſon Read Reports She has performd that Service

The Comtee that was appointed to inquire into Anna Braggs Clearneſs Reſpecting marriage Report that they find nothing to obſtruc

The Comtee that was appointed in the 3 mo laſt to treat with Mary Seagar and Dorcas Hoxſie not having Reported they are Requeſted to Report to the next monthly meeting

William Wilber and Anna Bragg Appeared in this meeting and inform they Continued their intentions of marriage, They are allowed to proceed they keeping to the good order preſcribed in that Caſe Abigail Hoxſie and Sarah Hoxſie are Appointed to attend the Solemning the Said marriage and Report to the next monthly meeting

This meeting Adjourns to the Uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at So Kingſ the 28th of the 6th Mo 1790. The Several meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for So Kingſton Sarah Hoxſie and Ruth Rodman, for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Bathſheba Collins All preſent. Katherine Hoxſie informs this meeting the rain hinde her Attending the laſt monthly meeting

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The Com^{te} that had the matter of Ruth Main under their Care making no Report they are deſired to be Ready to Report to the next monthly meeting

The Com^{te} that was Appointed to treat with Dorcas Hoxſie and mary Seagar for their neglect of attending meetings Report that they gave Some incouragement that they would be more diligent in future, and think it beſt to wait with them, Which this meeting Excepts and Refers Under the Care of the Same Com^{tee}

The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to attend the marriage William Wilber and Anna Bragg, Report that it was Orderly Conducted as far as appeared to them

Hopkinton Preparative meeting informs that Sarah Wilber is propoſed to the place of an Elder, which met the Approbation of this and the mens meeting, and She is Appointed to the place of an Elder

Hopkinton Preparative informs that Lourany Larkin wife of Kinyon Larkin Requeſts the Care of friends, She alſo appears in this meeting and infourmd that She Continued her Requeſt Which this meeting takes notice of and Appoints Mary Wilber Basheba Collins and Sarah Hoxſie to inquire into her Life and Converſa^{tion} and take a Solid Opportunity with her, and Report to the next monthly meeting. This meeting Adjourns to the 7th M^{o} at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at S^{o} Kingſton the 26th of the 7th month 1790. The Several meetings Being Called their Repreſentatives are for S^{o} Kingſton Sarah Hazard and Hannah Hoxſie for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Martha Kinyon All preſent

The Queries were read and Anſwers agreed on in this meeting an Account drawn to Send up with Our anſwers to the Quarterly meeting By Our Repreſentatives Who are Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah Wilber.

The Com^{tee} appointed to treat with Ruth Main Report that She Appears of a diſpoſion to Condemn her tranſgreſsion and that they think Beſt for friends to paſs it by, She having Sent in a paper Condemning the Same Which this meeting with the Approbation of the mens meeting Except and appoints Mary Wilber to See the Same Read at the End of a firſtday meeting Where She doth belong

The Com^{te} Appointed to treat with Hannah Dockray Report that She appears of a diſpoſiſsion to Condemn her tranſgreſsion She alſo Sent us a paper Condemning the Same All Which is Referd to the next monthly meeting for farther Conſideration

The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to visit ~~treat with~~ Lowrany Larkin made report which is a followeth. According to Appointment we have Viſited Larana Larkin and had a Solled opportunity with her and She Appears to be One with Friend in principle and we think She is Sincere in her Requeſt, and her Life and Converſation in a good Degree to be Orderly and we think well of her Requeſt being granted all which we Submit to the monthly meeting which this meeting Admits of, and with the Concurance of the mens meeting admit her a member of Our Religious Society. This meeting is informd that the Overſeers met agreeable to Appointment and Conſidered the Buſineſs that come before them, and Carried what Appeard to the preparative meeting

Sarah Hoxſie abigail Hoxſie Sarah Hazard (the Secon). Alice Congdon Mary Wil Bathſhebe Collins Thankful Collins Ruth Rodman are Appointed to the place of Overſeers Katherine Kinyon is nominated to the place of an Overſeer She not being preſent the Appointment is refered to the next monthly meeting
This meeting Adjourns to the Uſual time and place

At a monthly meeting of Friends held at So Kingſton the 30th of the 8 mo. 1790. The Several meetings Being Called their Repreſentatives are for So Kingſton Alice Congdon and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Katherine Kinyon and Katherine Hoxſie all preſent —

The Repreſentatives inform this meeting that they attended the Quarte ly meeting agreeable to Appointment, they alſo inform that the Quarterly meeting Approvd of the Appointment of Sarah Wilber to the place of an Elder. The friend that was appointed to Read Ruth Mains paper of Condenmation makes report that She hath performed that Service

The matter reſpecting Hannah Dockray has been reconſidered in this meeting and friends not being Satiſfied with the place of her Abode, the Receiving her Acnoledgment is refered to the next monthly meeting
Sarah Wilber and Sarah Hoxſie are Appointed to take the neceſsary Care and provide a place Reſidence for her.
Katherine Kinyon is Appointed to the place of an Overſeer
Receivd a Epiſtle from the yearly meeting of women Friends held at Newport on RhodIſland Dated from the 11th of 6 Mo. to the 13th of the Same 1790, Recommending the Reading in Our preparative meetings the Parigraff in the 64th pag of the Book of diſcipline Reſpecting Keeping Company with thoſe too ne of kin. Alſo one from Weſtbury on Long Iſland dated from the 27 of t 5th to the 3 of the 6 Mo. 1790. Alſo one from the yearly meeting held at Philidelphia from the 28th of the 9th Mo. to the 3 of the 10th 1790 Containing much Salutary advice and Councel
The appointment of a Clerke was Conſidered of in this meeting and refered until the tenth month.
Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Abel Collins and M Wilber Jun.r propoſes to lay their intentions of marriage Before this meeting. Abel Collins and mary Wilber jun.r appeared in this meeting and Declaird their intentions of taking Each other in marriage which this meeting takes notice of and Refers them to the next monthly meeting for an Anſwer, Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah Hoxſie are appointed to inqu into her Converſation and whether She is Clear of other marriage ingagements and make Report to the next monthly meeting
This meeting Adjourns to the Uſual time and Place

At a Monthly Meeting of friends held at So Kingston the 27th of the 9 mo 1790 the Several meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Sarah Wilber all present.

The Queries was read ~~in thir~~ and answers agreed on in Order to send up with our Account to the Quarterly meeting By Our Representatives who are Ruth Rodman and Sarah Hoxsie.

The Comtee that was appointed to find a place for Hannah Dockray Report a place is provided for her She not being able, gave incouragment that She would remove from that place as soon as She Could, and the matter is ~~refer~~ Left under the Care of the Same Comtee, It is Concluded in both the mens and womens meetings to Receive her paper of Acnoledgment but refer how it Shall be Disposed of til the next monthly meeting

The Comtee that was appointed to Inquire into the Conversation of Mary Wilber junr and whether She is clear of Other ingagements, Report they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage with Abel Collins, the Said Abel Collins and the Said Mary Wilber junr both Appeared in this meeting and informed they Continued their intentions of marrige and nothing appearing to obstruct ~~to obstruct~~ they are at Liberty to proceed therein any time before the Next monthly meeting, Dorcas Weaver and Bathsheba Collins are appointed to Attend the Solemnising Said marrige and also to attend at their Houses and report to Our next meeting

This meeting was informed that the Overseers met agreeable to Appointment and Considered what business Came before them

Hopkinton preparative informs that Thankful Collins wif of Amos Collins Requests that two of her Daughters (Namely) Ruth and Hannah Should be Considered as members they being in a State of infancy And with the Unity of the mens meeting they are Considered as members of this meeting

This meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a monthly meeting of friends held at Richmond the 1st of the 11th mo 1790 The Several meetings Being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Alice Congdon and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Mary Collins all present.

This meeting is informed that the Representatives attended the Quarterly meeting According to Appointment.

Our Esteemed Friend Mary Mitchel attended this Meeting with a Copy of a Minute from Nantucket Monthly Meeting Signifying their Concurance with her Visiting those parts, Dated the 30th of the 8th mo 1790 her Company being Acceptable to us.

The matter Respecting Hannah Dockray is Refered ~~to~~ until the next Monthly Meeting under the Care of the Same Comtee and also the Reading her paper of Acknowledgment in Publick,

The Friends that were Appointed to Attend the Marriage of Abel Collins and Mary Wilber Report it was Conducted Orderly as far as Appeared to them.

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs, that Hezekiah Collins Requests that his Daughter Katherine may be Considered a member of this Meeting, She being in a State of infancy, this Meeting, with the Concurance of the mens Meeting, Receive her a member

Mary Collin (the Second) is Appointed to the place of a Clerk for this Year,

Agreeable to the Advice of the Quarterly Meeting we have taken into Considera the State of Wiſterly Meeting, and Appoint Sarah Willbur Sarah Hoxſie and Dorcas Weaver to Join the mens Comtee in Viſiting that Meeting and Repor their Sence thereof

This Meeting Adjourns and Concludes to meet again at the Uſual time and place

At a monthly meeting held at Richmond for Sº-kingston the 29th Day of the 11th Mo 1790 the Several preparative meetings being Called their repreſentativ are for for Sº-kingston Abigail Hoxſie and Sarah Hoxſie for Hopkinton Sarah Collins an Anna Wilbur all preſent except Abigail Hoxſie

The matter reſpecting Hannah Dockrays removing is referd under the care of the Same committee to make report when ready or when called upon by the meeting Sarah Haſard is appointed to See her paper of Condemnation read at the close of a firſt day meeting where She belongs and Make report to our Next Meeting

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting inform that Samuel Sheffield Requeſted that his Daughters namely Eliſabeth & Mary might have a right of Memberſhip With Friends The Which after being Conſidered With the Unity of the men admit them members of this meeting

This meeting received a Certificate from Greenwich Monthly Meeting for Judith the Wife of Joriathan Southwich Dated the 8th of the 11th mo 1790 Wherein Was Several omiſsions there fore the Clerk is Directed to Return the Certificate and Send a few Lines to Greenwich Monthly Meeting to Inform them the Reaſons of its not being Excepted and Report to our Next Meeting

This Meeting adjourns and Concludes to meet again at the uſual time and place

At a monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond for Sº Kingſtown the 20 of the 12th Mo 1790 the Several preparatives Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for Sº Kingſtown Alice Congdon & Sarah Hoxſie for Hopkinton Thankful Collins & Mary Willbur all Preaſent Except Alice Congdon Who informed this Meeting by a few Lines that Difficulty of traveling Was the Occation for her not Attending

Abigail Hoxſie Gave a Satiſfactory reaſon in this Meeting for her not Attending the Laſt Monthly Meeting agreeable to appointmen

the Queries Were Read and anſwers agreed on in this Meeting an Account Was alſo Drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting With the anſwers to the Queries by our Repreſentatives Who are Mary Wilbu & Sarah Hoxſie

The Friend that Was appointed to See Hannah Dockrays paper ~~Read~~ of Condemnation Read made no Report She is Continued for that Service and to Report to the Next Monthly meeting

The Friend that Was appointed to Write to Greenwich Monthly Meeting informed this meeting that She had Complied With her appointmen

The overſeers made no Report to this meeting

South Kingstown Preparative Meeting Informs this Meeting that Hannah Knowls Wife of Robert is distitute of a Home this Meeting appoints Abigail Hoxsie & Sarah Hoxsie to advise With friends in gitting some place for her till the next Monthly Meeting

A Certificate for our Esteemed Friend Mary Mitchel to Friends on Nantucket Was Signed in this Meeting

South Kingstown Preparative Meeting Informed this Meeting that Hannah Gardner formerly Allen has Transgrest Friends Rules by marrying one not of our Society and a first Cousin this meeting appoints Abigail Hoxsie & Sarah Willbur to Treat With her and make Report to our Next meeting

So Kingstown preparative meeting also Informs that Anna Kinyon proposes to Lay her intentions of marriag With Stephen Hoxsie 3d before this meeting and Stephen Hoxsie and Anna Kinyon produced a [illegible] of their parents they both appeard in this meeting & Declared their intentions of takeing Each other in marriage Which this meeting takes notice of & Desires them to wait till Next monthly meeting for an Answer this meeting appoints Sarah Willbur & mary Knowles to inquire into the Young Womans Conversation and Clearness Respecting marriage and Report to our next meeting

This meeting adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond for So Kingstown the 31th Day of the 1st Mo 1791 the Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingstown Sarah Hazard & Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Willbur & Dorcas Weaver all present Except Ruth Rodman

Our Esteemed friend Hannah Barnard attended this Meeting With a Certificate from the Creek Monthly Meeting in the Western of e Nine partners State of Newyork Signifying their Unity With her Visiting these parts and Also some towns in Connecticut dated the 2nd of 10th mo 1789 and also A Copy of a minute from the afores'd Monthly Meeting for her Companion Phebe Field was read in this Meeting dated the 19th day of the 11 mo 1790

Sarah Hoxsie informed this Meeting that She attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment this Meeting is Informed that Mary Willbur did not attend by reason of her family not being in a Situation to Leave

The friends that Was appointed to See Hannah Dockrays Paper of Condemnation read informed this Meeting that She had not performed that Service therefore She is Continued for the Same and to make Report to the Next Monthly Meeting

The Comtee that Was appointed to advise With Friends in providing a home for Hannah Knowles is Continued for the Service

The Comtee that Was appointed to Treat With Hannah Gardner for marrying With one not of our Society have not performed that Service therefore they are Continued for the Same and make Report to our Next Meeting

The Comtee that Was appointed to ~~make~~ inquire into Anna Kinyon Conversation & Clearness Respecting Marriage Report that they find nothing to obstruct her proceeding therein

The Sd Stephen Hoxsie and Anna Kinyon appeard in this Meeting
and Declared they Continued their Intentions of Marriage nothing
appearingto obstruct they are allowed to proceed With keeping to
the Good order prescribed among friends this Meeting appoints
Mary Knowles & Dorcas Weaver to attend the Solemnization
of Sd Marriage and make Report to our Next Meeting
This Meeting adjourns to the usual time and place —

At a Monthly Meeting held at Richmond for Sº Kingston the 28th of 2nd Mo
1791 The Several preparative Meetings ~~of~~ being Called their
Representatives are for Sº Kingstown Sarah Hoxsie & Deborah
Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Hannah Collins
all preasant Except mary Collins Who Was prevented attending
by Indisposition of body — Ruth Rodman informd this
Meeting that the difficulty of traveling prevented her attending the
Last Monthly meeting —

The friend that was appointed to See Hannah Dockrays paper of
Condemnation ~~&~~ read makes return She has performd that Service
The matter Respecting Hannah Knoles is Refered ~~untill~~ under
the Care of the Same Committee till our Next Meeting one of the
Committee that was appointed to treat with Hannah Garner Reports that
She has performed that Service and that She Left it with freinds to Deny her
if they thought best She having likewise Sent in a paper to the same
import freinds therefore with the unity of the men friends deny
her having any longer a right of Membership in our religious
Sociëty untill She make Satisfaction for her Said transgressions
Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie is appointed to draw up a
testamony of denial against her and present to the next Monthly
Meeting and inform her thereof and of her right to appeal to the
quarterly Meeting —

The committee that was appointed to See the marriage of Stephen
Hoxsie and Anna Kinyon Solemnised Report that it was in some measure
orderly Conducted — the matter Respecting a committee to attend westerly
Meeting ~~[illegible]~~ being Reconsidered in this meeting Abigail Hoxsie is aded to the
Committee this meeting ajourns to the usual time and place

At a Monthlymeting of women friends held at Richmond for Sº Kingston
the 28th Day of the 3rd Mo 1791 the Several preparative meetings being called
their representatives are for Sº Kingston Sarah Hazard and Abigail Hoxsie
for Hopkinton Mehitable Collins and Thankful Collins all present the Queres
~~and~~ Ware read and answers agread on in this meeting an account was also
Drawnup to Send up to the quarterly meeting with the answers by our
Representatives Mary Wilbur and Abigail Hoxsie

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The matter reſpecting Hannah Knowles is refer'd under the care of the Sam
committee til our next Meeting——

the committee that was appointed to draw a teſtimony of denial againſt Hannah Gardner preſented it to this meeting but have not informed her of it therefore they a
continued for that Service and to report to our next Meeting——

This meeting receivd a certificate from greenwich Monthly meeting in behalf of Judith
Wife of jonathan Southwick which is as followeth——

a Certificate in favour of Judith Southwick

" From our monthly meeting of women Friends Held at East
" Grenwich the 7th of the 2nd moth 1791
" To the monthly meeting of at South kingſton

Dear Friends theſe may Certify
" on behalf of Judith the wife of jonathan ~~the~~ Southwick now reſiding with
" you that She was whilſt with us a member of this monthly meeting by virtue
" of a Certificate received from the monthly meeting ~~of~~ at Smithfield we therefore
" Recommend her to your Chriſtian care with deſires for her groth in the beſt
" things and are your Friends Sighned in and by direction of Said meting

by Anna Greene Clerk

Sarah Wilbur is appointed to draw a few lines by way of certificate for our Eſteemed Friend Hannah Barnard from the Creek Monthly meeting who has been on a religeous viſit in these parts, and preſent to the next Monthly meeting

This meeting ajourns and concludes to meet again at the uſual time at S. kingston

At a monthly meeting of women Friends held at S. kingston the 25th Day of the 4th Mo 1791 the Several preparative meetings being called their repreſentatives are for So kingston Sarah Hoxſie and mercy peckham for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Bathsheba Collins all preaſant

the matter reſpecting Hannah Knowles is refer'd under the care of the Same Committee until our next monthly meeting by reaſon they have not had So full an operturity with her as was thought beſt

The committee that was appointed to draw a teſtamony of denial againſt Hannah Gardner and inform her thereof informd this meeting that they had Complied with their appointment and that She was willing to Submit to the Judgment of the Monthly meeting the teſtamony of denial was read in this meeting and with the unity of the men approved of and Signed by the Clerk and Alice Congdon is appointed to See the Same read at the cloſe of a firſt day meeting where She did belong and report to our next meeting

This meeting is informe that part of the overſeers met before the laſt monthly meeting which was omitted being mentioned then therefore it was thought beſt that it should be minuted at this time

The friend that was appointe to draw a certificate for Hannah Barnard presented it to this meeting she having one from the quarterly meeting it was thought unneſsary to send it

this meeting ajourns and Concludes to meet gain at the uſual time and place

At a Monthlymeeting of Womenfriends held at So kingston the 30th Day of the 5th Mo 1791 the several preparative meetings being Called their repreſentatives are for So kingston Abigail Horſee & Alice Condon for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Mary Wilbur all preasant

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Sarah Browning wife of Jeremiah Browning Jur has a deſire to be admitted into memberſhip With Friends she likewise appeard in this meeting and informd that she still contenued her requeſt whereupon this Meeting appoints Abigail Horſee and Sarah Horſee to inquair into her life and Conversation and ~~take a~~ likewiſe take a solid ~~oper~~ opportunity with her and report to our next meeting their ~~of~~ sence of her fitneſs to be admitted a member ~~of our sosiety~~ of our sosiety

The committy that was appointed to adviſe with freinds in getting a home for Hannah Knowls informs this meeting that she is provided for at preſent

Alice Condon informd this meting that the teſtamany of denial againſt Hannah garner was read accordin to appointment

The committee that was appointed viſet weſterly meeting made the following report

We of the Comtte appointed to viſit Weſterly Meeting in [illegible] [illegible] the State thereof and to Endeavour to stir them [illegible] to a more Diligent attendance thereof having viſited sd Meeting and some of us nearly all the families thereto belonging and Endeavoured to stir them up to a more Diligent attendance [illegible] [illegible] belonging to sd Meeting and Conſidering [illegible] [illegible] in years and Lindly living a Conſiderable Diſtance [illegible] to atten their Meetings [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] difficult for some of them to atten the [illegible] sd Meeting appears at a Low Ebb

Signed by Simeon Perry in behalf [illegible]

To the Monthly Meeting to be held at So Kingston [illegible] 1791

[illegible] [illegible] which [illegible] meeting takes notice of this appoints Sarah Miller and
Sarah Clarke to treat with her for her said transgression and endeavour to engage
her to desist therefrom and report to our next meeting

Which this meeting excepts and Contanues the Committee to revisit that meeting and report to the monthly meeting their judgment what will be best to bedon for the honour of truth

thismeeting ajourns and Concludes to meet again at the usial time and place

At a Monthly meeting of Women freinds held at So Kingston the 27th of the 6th Mo 1791 the Several preparative meetings being called their representatives are for So kingston Sarah Hasard and Mary Peckham for Hopkinton Cathrine Hoxsie and Lourana Foster all present except Catharine Hoxsie

this meeting was informed that indisposition of body prevented her attending

the Committee that was appointed to have a Solid Conference with Sarah Browning made the following report

According to appointment we visited Sarah Browning wife of Jeremiah Browning and had a Solid opertunity with her and she appears to be one with friends in principal and sincere in her request and there is nothing appears but that her life and conversation is orderly

to the Monthly meeting of women friends to be } Abigail Hoxsie
held at So Kingston the 27 of the 6 Mo 1791 } Sarah Hoxsie

Which this meeting excepts and with the unity of the mens meeting admits her into membership with freinds

the committee that was appointed to advise with Hannah Browning respecting a home for her [illegible] [illegible] provided for [illegible] with the [illegible] of [illegible] monthly meeting which was satisfactory to this meeting

the matter respecting westerly meeting is Continued under the care of the same committee as before

So Kingston preparative meeting informs that Mary Dye daughter of John Dye is keeping company on account of marriage with one not of

So Kingston preparative meeting also informs that Elizabeth [illegible] hath attended a marriage out of the unity of freinds whereupon the Meeting appoints Sarah Hasard and Hannah Hoxsie to labour with her on that account and endeavour for her recovery and report to ye Next meeting

This meeting appoints Dorcas Weaver Sarah Wilbur Hannah Collins Bathsheba Collins Mary Knowles Sarah Hoxsie Bathsheba Knowles Alice Congdon Sarah Hasard and Mercy Peckham for overseers for the year ensuing

This meeting ajourns and Concludes to meet again at the usual time and place

At a Monthly meeting of Women Friends held at So: Kingston the 1st of the 8th Mo 1791 the Several preparative meetings Being called their representatives are for So: Kingston Ruth Rodman & Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Thankful Collins & Hannah Collins all present ——

The Queries were read and answers agreed on in this meeting And Directed to be Sent up to the quarterly meeting with the Account by our Representatives who are Alice Congdon and Deborah Rodman ——

The matter respecting westerly Meeting is Continued as Before ——

The Matter respecting Mary Die is referd under the Care Of the Same Committee until our next Meeting ——

The Committee that was appointed to treat with Elizth Sawyer For Attending a Marriage out of the unity of Friends presented A Report to this Meeting which is accepted and the Matter is refer'd For further Consideration until our next Meeting ——

This Meeting is informd that the greater part of the overseers met the seventh day before the preparitive meeting and Considered Such matters as Come before them ——

Certificat in favour of Avice Knowles

"This meeting received a Certificate from Rhode island monthly "Meeting in behalf of Avis Knowles wife of Willm Knowles "Which is as followeth ——

"From the Monthly meeting of Friends held at Portsmouth for "Rhode island the 15th of 7th mo 1791 To the Monthly Meeting of "Friends at South Kingston Dear Friends

Avis Knowles wife of Wm "Knowles having removd to reside within the verge of your Meeting "and requests a few Lines from us these may certify that she a member "of our society one of an orderly life and Conversation a Diligent attender "of meetings and as far as appears has settled her outward affairs to satisfaction "with desires for her further advancement and preservation in the truth "we ~~remain~~ recommend her to your Christian Care and remain your "Brethren and Sister

Saml Thurston Clerk
Sarah Freeman Clerk

This meeting Adjourn and Conclude to meet again at the usual time and place

At a Monthly meeting Held at Southkingston the 29th of the 8th mo 1791

The several preparative meetings being Called the Representatives for Southkingston are Mercy Peckham and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Thankful Collins all preasant except Thankful Collins we are informed the reason of her absence was sickness in her family—

The Friends that was appointed to attend the quarterly Meeting informed this Meeting they attended agreeable to appointment and delivered the account and the Answers to the queries and had the epistle from our last yearly meeting in charge to deliver to us

The matter Respecting Westerly meeting is Continued under the Care of same Committee as before—

The Matter Respecting Mary Die is refered to our next meeting under the Care of the same Committee as before—

The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Seagar is Refered untill our next Meeting. this meeting adjourns to the usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingstown the 26th of the 9th mo 1791 the several Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingstown are Sarah Hazard and Hannah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Mehitabel Collins & Dorcas Weaver all preasant except Dorcas Weaver who this Meeting is informed is prevented by sickness in her family

The Queries read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on and directed to be sent up to the Quarterly Meeting with the account by our Representatives who are Sarah Hazard and Ruth Rodman—

The Comtee that was appointed to visit Westerly Meeting report that they think best that Meeting should be Continued and further visited that matter is Refered under the Care of the same Comtee. The Matter Respecting Mary Dye is again Refered under the Care of the same Comtee—

The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Seagar is Refered untill our next Meeting—

Both preparative Meetings informs that the overseers thought necessary that there should be Women overseers of the poor Which this Meeting takes notice of and Refers for further Consideration

This Meeting adjourns to the usual time at Richmond

At a Monthly meeting of Women friends held at Richmond for S Kingston the 31st of the 10th Mo 1791 the several preparative meetings being Called their Representatives are for S Kingston Abigail Hoxsie & Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Wilbur all preasant—

The friends that was appointed to attend the quarterly Meeting informed this they attended agreeable to their appointment—

The Comtee [illegible] the matter Respecting [illegible] which [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] unexpected and it appears that [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] monthly meeting [illegible] 1791

[illegible]

Sarah H[illegible]

[illegible] with the consent of the men friends [illegible] her any longer a right of membership in our Religious society until she return and Make satisfaction for her outgoings —

[illegible] Rhoda Knowles and Abigail Hoxsie are appointed to draw a testimony of denial against her & present to the next monthly meeting and inform her thereof

The mater Respecting Elizabeth Seagear being Reconsidered in this Meeting Abigail Horesie and Sarah Hoxsie are Apointed to visit her agan and Report to the Next monthly meeting

The matter ~~of~~ of appointing oversers of the poor Coming Before this meeting Weappont Sarah Hazard Abigail Hoxsie Mary Wilbur Bathsheba Collins and Ruth Rodman to that Service We Received a Certificate from the Mothly meeting of freinds on Rhodisland for Elizabeth Dochray which is as flows ~~this~~

a certificate from Rhode-Island Monthly meeting on behalf of Elisabeth Dockray

From Our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Portsmouth the 30 of the 8 Mo 1791 to the Monthly Meeting of Women Freinds held at Southkingston

Dear Freinds

Elizabeth Dockray now Residing with you desires a few Lines from this meeting — these may Certify — that she hath a right of Membership — and whilst with us was a constant attender of Meetings, & upon Enquiry dont find her under any Marriage Engagements — We recommend her to your Cristian care — & desire her advancement in the best things

Signed in & on behalf of Said Meeting by

Sarah Rodman Clerk

This meting ad-jorns to the usual time at this place

At a Monthly meeting ~~[illegible]~~ of women Freinds held at Richmond for So-kingston the 28th of the 11th Mo 1791 the Several ~~preparative~~ Meetings being Called their Representatives are for Sothkingston Ruth Rodman & Sarah Hazard for hapkinton Thankfull Collins & Mary Wilbur all present

The Comitee that was appointed to draw a testimony of denial against Mary Die presented it to this meeting which is approved of And signed by the Clerk and Abigail Hoxsie is appointed to See the Same read at the end of a first day Meeting where She did belong and Make return to our next Meeting

The Comtee that was appointed to treat with Elisabeth Seager for Atending a Marriage out of the unity of Friends Made report to this Meeting which is approved of and is as followeth

To the Monthly Meeting of Friends to be held at Richmond the 25th Day of the 11th Mo 1791

Persuant to appointment we have visited Elisabeth Seager And Conversed freely with her on account of her attending a Marriage and A place of Resort and neglect of attending Meetings and believe it Well for friends to pass ~~it by~~ them by and Continue their Care over her

Abigail Hoxsie
Sarah Hoxsie

She likewise sent in the following acknowledgment

Whereupon this Meeting with the unity of the mens meeting Conclude to pass by her aforesaid transgressions and appoints Sarah Hazard to her ~~paper of~~ acknowledgment read at the Close of A first day Meeting where She ~~do~~ belongs and Make return to our Next Meeting this Meeting ajourns ~~&~~ and Concludes to Meet again at the usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends Held at Richmond For S:kingston the 26th of the 12th Mo 1791 the Several preparative Meetings being Called their representatives for S:kingston are Ruth Rodman and Hannah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Dorcas Weaver all preasent the Queries ware read and answers Agreed on in this Meeting an account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting Dorcas Weaver and Catharine Kinyon are appointed To attend the quarterly Meeting and take Charge of the account and the answers to the queries

The Friend that was appointed to See the denial of Mary Lie read Reports She has performed that Service

The friend that was appointed to read the aknowledgment of

Of Elisabeth Seager made no report the Matter is referd to our Next Meeting——

Both preparatives Meetings informd that they thought it Necessary for a Com-tee to be appointed to visit these that have not Wills— And advise them to make their wills and Settle their affairs which This Meeting takes notice of and appoints Bathsheba Collins Alice Congdon Abigail Hoxsie and Dorcas Weaver for that Service and mak Report to our Next Meeting——

One of the overseers informd this meeting that apart of the overseers met agreeable to appointment and Considered the business that Came before them according to the ability Receivd at that time

This Meeting ajourns to the usual time and place——

At a Monthly Meeting of women Friends Held at Richmond for S^o^ kingston the 30^th^ of the 1^st^ M^o^ 1792 the Several preparative meetings being called the representatives are for S^o^ kingston Deborah Rodman and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Sarah Willbur and Mary Wilbur all preasant except Mary Wilbur who we are informd was prevented attending by Sickness in the family this meeting was informd that one of the friends that was appointed to attend the quarterly Meeting attended the other Was prevented by Sickness in her family this meeting was informd that the acknowledgment of Elisabeth Seager was read agreeable to appointment—

A part of the Committee that was appointed to visit Such As needed wills Report that they had made Some Small progress therein and find a Willingness in them to Comply with the advice given they are Continued untill that Service is Completed——

S^o^kingston preparative meeting informs that Solomon Collins and Sarah Perry preposes to Lay their intentions of mariage Before this meeting and Hopkinton preparetive meeting Likewise informed that Isaac Collins and Mary Collins proaposed to Lay their Intention of Merriage before This Meeting——

Solomon Collins and Sarah Perry appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intentions of taking Each other in Marriage the Consent of their Parents being produced in writing which this meeting takes Notice of and Refers them to our next Monthly Meeting for an answer . Abigail Hoxsie And Sarah Wilbur are appointed to inquire into her Life and Conversation and Whether She is clear of all Marriage Engagements Except the the person She is about to prosed with and report to our next meeting

Isaac Collins and Mary Collins appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of taking eachothe in Marriage they producing the Consent of their parents in writing which this

Meeting takes notice of and refers them to the next Monthly Meeting for an Anſwer Sarah Wilbur and Hannah Hoxſie are appointed to inquire into Her life and Converſation and that She is Clear of marriage Engageme With all but the perſon She is about to proſede with and report to Next Meeting this Meeting ajourns to the uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of women friends Held at Richmond for South-kingston the 27th of the 2nd mo 1792 the Several preparative Meetings being Called the Repreſentatives for S^t^kingston are Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah Hoxſie for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Bathſheba Collins All preeſent

A part of the Committee that was appointed to viſit them that have not wills Report that they have viſited Some who gave incouragement to make them Soon they are Continued for that Service and to report it in the 5th mo to our Monthly meeti

The Comitee that was appointed to make the Neceſsary inquiry reſpe-ting Sarah Perrys ~~clearneſs~~ proceding in Marriage with Solomon Collins Report they find nothing to Hinder her proſeding

The Committee that was appointed to make the Neceſsary inquiry into Mary Collins proſeding in Marriage with Isaac Collins repor they find nothing to hinder her proceding therein

Solomon Collins and Sarah perry appeared in this meeting and informed they continued their intentions of marriage and Nothing Appearing to obſtruct their proceding they keeping to the good order preſcribed in that caſe Abigail Hoxſie and Sarah Wilbur is appointed to See the Same Solemniſed ~~and [illegible]~~ ~~attend at the houses~~ and report to our Next Monthly Meeting

Isaac Collins and Mary Collins appeared in this Meeting and informed they Continued their intentions of marriage Nothing appearing to obſtruct they are allowed to proceed Keeping to the good order preſcribed Sarah Hoxſie and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to See the Same Solemniſed and attend At the houſes and report to our next Monthly Meeting this Meeting ajourns to the uſual time and place

At a Monthly of women friends held at Richmond for S^t^kingston the 26th Day of the 3rd mo 1792 the Several preparative Meetings being Called their repreſentatives are for S^t^kingston Abigail Hoxſie and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Bathſhebe Collins Mary Wilbur and Bathſhebe Collins not preſent this Meeting is informed that one of them was prevented by Sickneſs in her family and the other by a death

The Queries were read and anſwers agreed on in this Meeting An account was alſo Drawn and directed to be Sent up to the quarterly Meeting with the anſwers to the queries by our repreſentatives who are Abigail Hoxſie and Ruth Rodman

The Comtee that was appointed to See the Marriage of Solomon Collins and Sarah Perry Solemniſed and attend the entertainments Reported to this Meeting that it was orderly Conducted as far As appeared to them

The Comtee that was appointed to attend the Marriage Of Isaac Collins and Mary Collins and the entertainment for the Same Reported to this Meeting that it was orderly Conducted as far as appeared

So Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Congdon Daughter of William Congdon is Keeping Company on acount of Marriage with one that is not a member ~~not~~ of our Society Whereupon this Meeting appoints Hannah Hoxſie and Sarah Hazard to treat With Her on that account and report to our Next Meeting

This Meeting is informed that part of the overſeers met At the uſual time

This Meeting appoints Alice Congdon to the place of a Clerk for the year Enſewin

This Meeting ajourns to the uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at SoKingston the 30th of ye 4th Mo 1792

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their repreſentatives are for So Kingſton Sarah Hoxſie and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton, Martha Kinyon and Martha Davis all preſend.

This Meeting is inform'd that the Repreſentatives attended the Quarterly meeting agreeable to appointmend

The Comtee that was appointed to treat with Sarah Congdon report She does not appear of a diſpoſition to Condemn her tranſgreſsion

That matter is referd for farther conſideration

The men Friends informd this Meeting that they had appointed a Comtee to take into Conſideration Whether an Alteration in the place of holding our Monthly Meeting mite not of be uſeful, Which this Meeting Concurs With and thinks necess for a Womens Comtee to Join the Mens, and accordingly have appointed one for that purpoſe Who are, Thankful Collins Abigail Hoxſie Sarah Hazard Alice Congdon and Ruth Rodman

This Meeting adjourns to the Usual time and place.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 24 of ye 6th Mo 1792.

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Avis Knowles and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Martha Kenyon all present Except Sarah Who Sent a Sattisfactory Reason for her Absence.

The matter Respecting Sarah Congdon is again Refered to our next Meeting.

The matter Respecting the holding our Monthly Meeting being Revived in this Meeting it is concluded to alter them Agreeable to the Report of the Committee.

Received a Certificate from Providence Monthly Meeting in behalf of three of Job Scots Children namely Oziel, Sary and Mary, Which this Meeting Excepts and is directed to Be Recorded and is as followeth.

Certificate for Job Scotts Children

To the Monthly Meeting of Friends at So Kingston Dear Friends these may Inform that three of Our Friend Job Scott's Children Members of Our Society, Namely Oziel, Sary & Mary are Removed from us Within the Verge of your Meeting and as it is Likely they may Reside with you for Some time, We therefore Recommend them to your Christian Care and Oversight Desireing their Growth and Education may be in the Truth. Signed in and By direction of our Monthly Meeting of Men and Women Friends held at Smithfield for Providence the 24 of 4 Mo 1792

Wm Almy Clk
of Mens Meeting
Lydia Arnold Clk

The matter Respecting Appointing Overseers is Refered to our to our next meeting

this Meeting adjourns to the Usual time and Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 30 of the 7th ~~Mo~~ 1792

The Several Preparative meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Barsheba Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Bersheba Collins and Sarah Browning all Present

The Queries and the Answers from the preparative Meetings was Read in this Meeting the Answers was agreed on and ordered to be sent to the Quarterly Meeting with the Account Which was drawn

and approvd in this Meeting By Our Representatives who
are Sarah Hazard and Hanah Hoxsie
The matter Respecting Sarah Congdon is again Refered to
Our next Meeting
The matter Respecting Overseers being revivd in this Meeting
Abigail Hoxsie, Mary Wilber, Barsheba Collins, Sarah Wilbur,
Barsheba Knowles, Sarah Hazard, and Sarah Hoxsie, are Appointed
for that Service for the Year Ensuing
Alice Congdon and Mercy Peckham being Nominated at
the Preparative Meeting to the place of Overseers their
Appointment is refered to Our next Meeting, By reason of their
Absence
The appointment of Some Solid Friends to attend at Burials
coming before this Meeting that Matter is refered for farther
Consideration
This Meeting was informd that part of the Overseers met
and Considered the Business that Come before them
This Meeting and proses to meet again in the 8th mo at this
Place if the Lord permit

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at So Kingston
the 27th of the 8th Mo 1792
The Several preparative Meetings Being Called their Representatives
for So Kingston Ruth Rodman and Avis Knowles for Hopkinton
Thankful Collins All present
The representatives informd this Meeting that they Attended
the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment
The matter Respecting Sarah Congdon is Refered to our next
Meeting
Alice Congdon and Mercy Peckham are Appointed to the place
of Overseers for the Year Ensuing
The matter Respecting Appointing of Some Solid Friends to
Attend at Burials is Refered to Our next Meeting
Receivd an Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting of Women
Friends held on Rhod Island 7th to 6 Mo 1792
Wherein was again Recommended the Collecting our families
on first days and oftner if we find the Truth to impress our
minds thereto and Read the Scriptures in a Solemn manner also
Also a Transcript of an Epistle from Philidelphia from the
26th of the 9th Mo to the 1st of the 10th Mo 1792
Which was Read to our Satisfaction and Comfort

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again in the 9th Mo at Hopkinton

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkint for So Kingston the 1st of the 10th Mo 1792
The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston ~~are~~ Avis Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Katharine Hoxsie and Mehitabel Collins All present
The Queries ware Read and Answers thereto agreed on in this Meeting and directed to be Sent up with the Account to the Quarterly Meeting by Our Representative: Who are Sarah Wilber and Sarah Hazard
The matters that ware Refered to this Meeting are again refer'd to Our next Meeting by Reason of the Minutes not being present
The Mens Meeting informed this that there were Some Friends who thought there might be Some Useful Alteration in our discipline with Regard to Nearness of Kin in Marriage according to Scripture rules, in Consideration Whereof We appoint Sarah Hazard, Sarah Hoxsie, Sarah Wilber, Abigail Hoxsie and Thankful Collins to Join a Mens Committee in Considering our discipline with the Scriptures to See how far they agree and make Report to Our next Meeting
Receivd a Certificate on Behalf of Rachel Sheffield Which is as followeth

Rachel Sheffields Certificate

" From Our Monthly Meeting held at Newport for Rhode Island
" the 31st of the 7th Mo 1792
" To the Monthly Meeting of So Kingston
" Rachel Sheffield having removed within the Verge of your
" Monthly Meeting and requests Our Certificate, these may Certi-
" fy that She has a right of Membership among us, and upon
" inquiry we do not find but that She is Clear of Marriage ingage-
" ments, and her Outward affairs settled to satisfaction, we therefore
" recommend her to your Friendly Care and Attention
" Signed by direction and on behalf of our said Meeting By
Sarah Robinson Clk for the day

This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met as Usual and Considered Such matters as Appeared necessary
This Meeting adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton for So Kingston the 29th of the 10th Mo 1792
The several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Sarah & Deborah Rodman

for Hopkinton Mary Wilber and Bathsheba Collins all present
The Friends that ware Appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting
informd this Meeting that they Attended agreeable to Appointment

The matter Respecting Sarah Congdon's Keeping Company with
one not of our Society, being Considered in this Meeting, and it is
thaught best that there Should be a Comtee appointed to Visit her
and make Report to our next Meeting

The matter Respecting appointing Some Friends to attend Burials
Comeing before this Meeting and it is thought it might be Useful,
Whereas this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilber, Abigail Hoxsie,
Thankful Collins, and Sarah Wilber for that Service for the year
Ensuing

" The Comtee that was appointed to Consider the matter respecting
" nearness of Kin in Marriage make Report as followeth
" We the Comtee appointed to Consider of the matter Sent up from
" So Kingston Preparative Meeting respecting the Discipline Concerning
" the Restrictions in Marriage respecting the Nearness of Kin,
" And having Considered that matter it Appears to that there are
" Some Members of our Society that think there may be a Useful
" alteration in that Respect as the Discipline appears to be more
" Restrictive in that Case than the Scriptures, Whereupon we think
" it might be Best to Send it up to the next Quarterly Meeting
" for their Consideration, that none may seem to be burthened
" on that Account
" All Which we Submit to the Monthly Meeting to be held at
" Hopkinton the 29th of this Instant 10th Mo 1792

Abigail Hoxsie
Sarah Hoxsie
Sarah Wilber
Thankful Collins
Sarah Hazard

John Knowles
Thomas Hazard
John Foster
Amos Collins
Simeon Perry

Which Report is Excepted

This Meeting Receivd a Certificate from Greenwich Mo Meeting
on behalf of Ruth Fish dauthter of Sylas Fish Who is placed to live with
with a Friend within the Verge of this Meeting Which we
Except and sd Certificate is to be Recorded

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Green-
wich the 2 of the 4th Mo 1792
" To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends of So Kingston
" Dear Friends

Ruth Fish

" Ruth Fish (daughter of Sylas Fish) an Infant being about to be
" Placed with a Friend of your Monthly Meeting and a Certificate

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Certificate for Ruth Fish

On her behalf being requested, We therefore Certify that She has a Right of Membership by Birth and as Such we Recommend her to your Christian Care and Oversight

Signed on behalf and by direction of our Monthly Meeting aforesaid
By Anna Green Clk

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time at Richmond

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond for So Kingston ye 26 of the 11th Mo. 1792

The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Abigail Hoxsie and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Thankful Collins all present Except Thankful Collins Who this Meeting was informed is unwell.

The Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Sarah Congdon informed this Meeting they were not ready to report Therefore they are Continued for that Service and to Report to our next Meeting

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Jeremiah Browning Jun. and Wife Requests the Care of Friends for their two Daughters Namely Eunice and Sarah, Which this Meeting withe the Unity of the Mens, Receives as Members, they being in a State of infancy

So Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Teague is Keeping Company on Account of Marriage with one not of our Society, Notwithstanding She has been Laboured with on that Account She Still persists therein Whereupon this Meeting appoints Abigail Hoxsie and Sarah Wilber to treat with her and make report to our Next Meeting

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond for So Kingston the 31st of the 12 ~~Mo~~ Mo. 1792

The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Abigail Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Mary Wilber, All present Except Bathsheba Collins

The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and directed to be Sent up With our account to the Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Ruth Rodman and Hannah Hoxsie

The Comtee that was Appointed to treat with Sarah Congdon for keeping Company with one not of Our Society Report that She continues of a diſpoſition to perſiſt therein; therefore this Meeting with the Concurrance of the Mens denies her having any Longer a Right of Membership in our Religious Society, Until She returns and makes Friends Satisfaction for her aforeſaid tranſgreſsion, And appoints Abigail Hoxsie and Sarah Hoxsie to draw a teſtamony of denial againſt her and preſent to our next Meeting. ~~The~~

The Comtee that was Appointed to treat with Elizabeth Seagar for keeping Company with one not of our Society Reports, She does not appear of a diſpoſition to deſiſt therefrom. therefore this Meeting with the Concurrance of the Mens. Denies her having ~~a right~~ any Longar a right of Membership in our Religious Society Until She returns and makes Friends Satisfaction for her aforeſaid Tranſgreſsions, and Appoints Sarah Hoxsie and Abigail Hoxsie to draw a Teſtamony of denial againſt her and Preſent to our Next Meeting

Received a Certificace on behalf of Deborah Rathbun Which is as followeth

Certificate in favour of Deborah Rathbun

From our Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Cranston for Eaſt Greenwich T 5th of the 1st Mo. 1792
To the Monthly Meeting at South Kingstown - Dear Friends
Deborah Rathbun having Removed within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and Requeſts our Certificate, these may Certify that She is a member in Good Eſteem amongſt us and a Diligent attender of Meetings, As Such we Recommend her to your Christian Care with Deſires for her advancement in the Truth, We Remain your affectionate Friends.
Signed in and on behalf of Sd Meeting. By. Anna Green Clk

This Meeting Adjourns to the Uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 28th of the 1st Mo. 1793
The several preparative Meetings being Called theire Representatives are for So Kingston Alice Congdon and Deborah Rathbun for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Sarah Wilber all present Except Sarah Wilber Who sent a Satiſfactory Reason for her Abſence
The Friends that ware appointed to draw a Teſtamony of denial againſt Sarah Congdon presented one Which

Was Read approved and Sign'd in this Meeting and Ruth Rodman is Appointed to See the Same Read at the end of a firſt-day Meeting Where She did belond and make Report to Our next Meeting. They alſo agreeable to appointment preſented a Teſtamony of Denial againſt Eliſabeth Seagar Which was Read Approved and Signd in this Meeting, and Sarah Hazard is Appointed to See the Same Read at the end of a firſt day Meeting Where She did belong, and make Report to our Next Meeting

The Repreſentatives inform'd this Meeting that they attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment.

Received a Certificate from Greenwich Monthly Meeting on behalf of Eloner Rice Who is in a State of Infancy Which is as followeth.

Certificate in favour of Eloner Rice

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Eaſtgreenwich the 3 of ye 12th Mo 1792

To the Monthly Meeting of Southkingſton. Dear Friends
We hereby inform, that Eloner Rice Daughter of James Rice deceaſed, now reſiding within the Verge of your Monthly meeting, is a member of this Meeting we therefore Recommend her to your Chriſtian care and Overſight and Remain your Friends
Signed in and by direction of sd Meeting by Anna Green Clerk

This Meeting adjourns to the Uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 25th day of the 2d Mo 1793

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called theire repreſentatives are for So Kingſton Sarah Hoxsie and Deborah Rodman, for Hopkinton Mary Wilber and Temporance Bragg all preſent.

The Friends appointed to read the denials of Sarah Congdon and Eliſabeth Seagar report they are read agreable to appointment

The Denial of Sarah Congdon

Whereas Sarah Congdon Daughter of William Congdon who hath had a Right of memberſhip in Our religious Society, but has tranſgreſs'd the Rules thereof by keeping Company on account of Marriage with one that is not a Member and neglecting to attend our Religious Meetings, She being Laboured with therefor Which has proved ineffectual We therefore Deny her Remaining any Longar a Member of our Society untill She Return and

Make Satisfaction for her aforesaid Transgressions given forth at our Monthly meeting held at Richmond for So Kingston the 28th of the 1st Mo 1793.

Signed in and by direction of Sd Meeting By, Alice Congdo
Clerk

The Denial of Elisabeth Seagar

Whereas Elisabeth Seagar Daughter of Joseph Seagar Deceased hath had a Right of Membership in our Religious Society but has Transgressed the Rules thereof by Keeping Company on Account of Marriage with one that is not a Member of our Society and Neglects to Attend our Religious Meetings She being laboured with therefor Which has proved inaffectual therefore we deny her Remaining any longar a Member of our Society untill She return and make Satisfaction for her aforesaid transgressio Given forth at our Monthlymeeting held at Richmond for Southkingstown the 28th of the 1st Month 1793

Signed in and by direction of Sd Meeting By
Alice Congdon Clerk

This Meeting adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Womenfriends held at Richmon for So Kingston the 1st of the 4th Mo 1793

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston. Mary Knowles and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Thankful Collins all present

The Queries ware read and answers agreed on in this Meeting, An account was also drawn and directed to be sent with our answers to the Queries by our Representatives Who are Sarah Wilber and Thankful Dye

The Clerke informd this Meeting the Year for Which She was Appointed is Expired

the Chusing another is Refered to Our next Meeting

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and place at So Kingston

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingsto ye 29th of 4th Mo 1793

The Several ~~Me~~ preparative Meetings theire Representati are for So Kingston Sarah Hazard and Thankful Dye for Hopkinto Bathsheba Collins and Mary Collins. Sarah Hazard and Bathsheb Collins present. Thankful Dye Sent a Satisfactory Reason for her Absence

This Meeting is inform'd that Sarah Wilber attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment And that indisposition of body prevented Thankful Dye's attending

The matter Respecting Appointing a Clerk is Refer'd until the 6th Month

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and place .

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 27th of the 5th Mo 1793

The Several preparative Meetings Being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Ruth Rodman and Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Katherine Kenyon all present, Except Katherine Kenyon

So Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Robert Hazard and his wife requests a Removal Certificate to Ferrisburg on Luis Creek in the State of Vermont for themselves and Children Which this Meeting takes notice of and appoints Alice Congdon and Ruth Rodman to Join the Mens Comtee in making the necessary inquiry and in preparing a Certificate and present to our next Monthly Meeting if they find nothing to obstruct

Receiv'd a Certificate from Greenwich Monthly Meeting on behalf of Phebe Rice Which is as followeth.

Phebe Rice's Certificate

From our Monthly Meeting Held at East Greenwich the 8th of the 4th month 1793

To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends of So Kingston

Dear friends, Phebe Rice now Residing within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting Requested our Certificate These may certify on her behalf that she is a member of this Meeting, her conduct hath been in a good Degree orderly Since She became a member of Society and upon Enquiry we believe Clear of Marriage engagements, as Such we Recommend her to your Christian care and Oversight, with Desires for her Increase in Religious experience

Signed in and by Direction of Sd meeting By Anna Greene Clerk

This meeting adjourns to the usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston the 1st of the 7th Mo. 1793

The Several ~~Meetings~~ preparative Meetings being Called their representatives are for So Kingston Ruth Rodman and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Thankful Collins all presen Except Sarah Hazard, Who Sent a Satisfactory reason for not atten ing

The Comtee that was appointed to Join the men to prepare a Certificate for Robert Hazard and family informd this Meeting they had not yet prepared one therefore they are Continued for that Service. Ruth Rodman is appointed for the year insuing and ~~her~~ the former Clerk is directed to deliver the papers and records to the present Clerk

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Martha Davis (Daughter of William Davis Deceased) has a desire to be admitted a member of our Religious Society

This Meeting appoints Bathsheba Collins and Avis Knowles to visit her and to have a Sober Opportunity With her and Report their Sence of her being Received to Our next Monthly Meeting

The choosing of Overseers for the year insuing came before this Meeting Bathsheba Collins, Avis Knowles, Alice Congdon, Sarah Wilber, Abigail Hoxsie Marcy Peckham an Bathsh Rowles are Appointed for that Service.

Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Hazard was nominated in the preparative Meetings to the place of Overseers, and not being pres the Appointing them is Referd to Our next Monthly Meeting

Received a Certificate from Providence Monthly Meeting on behalf of Elizabeth Sims Which is as followeth

Elizabeth Sims Certificate

From our Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Providence the 29th of the 5th Mo. 1793. To the Monthly Meeting of So Kingston

Dear Friends.

Elizabeth Sims having Removed within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and Requests Our Certificate, These are to Certify that She has Resided Within the Verge of Our Meeting by a Certificate from East GreenWich a few Months past, in which time She has been a member of our Meeting

and a diligent Attender, She is a Single Woman free of Marriag Engagements and has Settled her Affairs as far as Appears, With Desires for her Groth and Establishment in the Truth we Recommend her to your Care and Conclude your Friends and Sisters ~ Signed in & on behalf of the Meeting Afforesaid by
Lydia Arnold Cl

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kin=gston the 29th day of the 7th Mo 1793

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Represe=ntatives are for So Kingston Hannah Hoxsie and Luceanna Knowl for Hopkinton Sarah Browning and Dorcas Weaver all present

The Queries was read and Answers agree on in this Meeting an Acount was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives, Who are Avis Knowles an Ruth Rodman.

The Comtee that was Appointed to prepare a Certificate for Rober Hazards family are not ready to Report therefore that matter is refer'd under theire Care

The Comtee that was Appointed to visit Martha Davis make repor Which is as followeth

To our Monthly Meeting to be held at So Kingston the 29th of the 7 Mo 1793

Martha Davis Receiv'd a Member

Dear Friends Agreeable to Appointment we Visited Martha Davis and had a Solled Oppertunity ~~which~~ With her Which Was Satisfactory to Us and She Appeared to be in Principle With Friends and we Think Well of Receiweing her a Member of Our Religious Society, All Which We Submit to the Meeting

Bathshebe Collins Avis Knowles

Which this Meeting excepts and with the Unity of the menfriends admits her a Member Accordingly

Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Hazard being present they are Appointed to the place of Overseers

The present Clerke informed this Meeting that She hath received the papers and Records of the former Clerk

The Comtee that was Appointed to visit Westerly Meeting not being ready to report, that Matter is Refer'd to our next Meeting

This was informd that a part of the Overseers met and Considered Such matters as Came before them

The Mens Meeting informd this Meeting, that they thought Whether a different Arrangment of holding the Monthly Meeting Would not be best and have Appointed a Comtee

To Conſider the Same, and Requeſt that we Appoint one to joine them — Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Dorcas Weaver, Sarah Wilber, Sarah Hazard, Luceanna Knowles, Sarah Hoxſie and Ruth Rodman to Join them and Report to Our next.
This Meeting Concludes and Propoſes to meet again at the Uſual time at this place

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At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So. Kingſton the 26th of ye 8th Mo: 1793
The Several Preparative Meetings being called their Repreſentatives for So. Kingſton are Marcy Peckham and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Bathſheba Collins and Mary Collins all preſent
This Meeting was informed that theire Repreſentatives attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment
The Comttee that was appointed to prepare a Certificate for Robert Hazards family not being ready to report, that matter under their Care
The Comttee that was Appointed to Viſit Weſterly Meeting not being Ready to report that matter is Still Continued under their Care
The Comttee that was Appointed to Conſider whether a different Arrangment of holding the Monthly Meeting would not be beſt made Report, which not being excepted, this Meeting with the men Friends Conclude that the Meetings as in the year 1791
Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that John Wilber propoſes to Lay his intentions of Marriage with Lidia Collins before this Meeting, the conſent of their parents being produced in Writing. John Wilber and Lydia Collins Appear in this Meeting and declaired their intentions of taking eachother in Marriage. Which this Meeting takes notice of and deſires them to wait till Next Monthly Meeting for their Anſwer, Wherefore we Appoint Bathſheba Collins and Mary Collins to Enquire into her Converſation and Clearneſs reſpecting Marriage and make Report to our next Meeting
Received an Epiſtle from Our laſt Yearly Meeting held in Newport, dated from the 14th of the 6th Mo: to the 18th of the ſame Incluſive, Containing much Salutary advice Alſo a Revival of the advice Communicated in our Epiſtle of the year 1791

Respecting Visiting poor Friends in their Solitary Habitations
Where their wants may be more fully known and a tenderness begotten
towards them Which may Open the harts of those favoured With ability
Suitably to Administer thereto and make way for the enquiry Whether
each Family is furnished with Bibles and the Aged with those of
a large type, Also the Representatives have it in Charge from
the Quarterly Meeting that an Account of their progress be
Rendered to the next Quarterly Meeting in Consequence of
Which We Appoint Sarah Hazard, Sarah Hoxse, Alice Congdon
and Bathsheba Collins to Visit the Poor and to make Such inspection
as they think necessary, and Report to our next meeting of the
progress they have made therein

We also Received transcripts of Epistles one from Philidelphia
dated 1792. and two from Westbury one dated 1792 the other 1793.
That of ~~our~~ Last year ~~by Meeting~~ not coming to hand Sooner
all containing Salutary and Seasonable Advice, Especially to the
Youth, that they Should endeavour to keep in their proper place
place, and be Prepared to come up in the places of their Worthy
Predecessors, Which was read to the Satisfaction and comfort of
some minds

This Meeting concludes and proposes to meet again at the
usual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at
So Kingston the 30th of the 9 Mo 1793

The Several preparative Meetings being Called their
Representatives for So Kingston are, Alice Congdon and
Deborah ~~Rathbun~~ Rodman, for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber
and Temperance Bragg all present.

The Queries Were read and Answers agreed on in this meeting
an account Was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting
With the answers to the Queries by our Representatives Who
are, Sarah Wilber and Alice Congdon

The matter Respecting Robert Hazard and family's
Certificate is Again refered till our Next Monthly Meeting

The Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Westerly Meeting
not being ready to Report that matter is Refered to
our next Monthly Meeting then to be reported

The Comtee that was Appointed to make the neceſsary inqui
reſpecting Lidia Collins.s proceeding in Marriage with John
-Wilber, make Report, that they do not find any thing to hinde
her proceeding therein
And the sd John Wilber and the sd Lidia Collins Both appeared
in this Meeting and declared that they Continued their
intentions of Marriage, Nothing appearing to Obstruct they
are allowed to procced they keeping to the good order propoſed
in that caſe, And Aviſe and Sarah Hoxſie are appointed to See
the Marriage Solemniſed and attend at the entertainment for the
Same if there is any.
The Comtee that was Appointed to Viſit poor Friends in their
Solitary habitations make Report that they have made Some
progreſs therein
Southkingstown preparative informes that George Kinyon
propoſes to lay his intention of Marriage with Rachel Sheffiel
before this Meeting. George Kinyon and Rachel Sheffield appe
-red in this Meeting and declaired their intentions of taking
Each other in Marriage Which this Meeting takes notice of
and Refers them to the next Monthly Meeting for an Anſwer
he alſo preduced his parents conſent in Writing, Thankful Dye
and Aviſe Knowles are Appointed to Enquire into her converſatio
and Clearneſs reſpecting Marrigge and make Report to our
next Monthly Meeting
A part of the Overſeers made Report that they Met and conſi
-dered of Such matters as Appeared neceſſary and inform'd that
Some Labour hath been Beſtowed on ~~the~~ negligent
This Meeting concludes and propoſes to meet again in the 10th mo at Rich

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmon
the 28th of the 10th Mo 1793
The Several preparative Meetings being Called their
Repreſentatives for So Kingston are Sarah Hazard and
Aves Knowles for Hopkinton are Bathshebe Collins and
Sarah Wilber all preſent, Except Bathshebe Collins
Who this Meeting is informd is ~~not~~ unwell

This Meeting was inform'd that their Representatives attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment

The matter Respecting Robert Hazard and famalies having a Certificate is again refer.d

The comtee that was Appointed to Visit Westerly Meeting not being ready to Report that matter is again Refer'd

a part of the Comtee that was Appointed to See the Marriage of John Wilber and Lidia Collins Solemnized make Report that it was Conducted in a good degree orderly.

Sarah Hoxsie gave a Satisfactory reason for her not attending.

The Comtee that was appointed to make the Necessary enquiry concerning Rachel Sheffields conversation and Clearness respecting Marriage make report that they do not find any thing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage ~~with~~ George Kinyon. and Rachel Sheffield appeared in this Meeting and declared that they Continued their Intentions of Marriage nothing Appearing to Obstruct they are allowed to proceed they keeping to the good order prescribed in that Case

Sarah Wilber and Mary Knowles are Appointed to See the Marriage Solemnized and make Report to our Next Monthly Meeting

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Christopher Healy proposes to lay his intention of Marriage with Alice Sheffield before this Meeting. Christopher Healy and Alice Sheffield appeared in this Meeting and declared their Intentions of taking Each other in Marriage. Which this Meeting takees notice of and refers them to the next Monthly Meeting for their answer, they also produced the Concent of their parents in Writing, Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilber and Thankful Collins to Enquire into their Conversation and Clearness respecting Marriage and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

Hopkinton preparative Meeting also informs that Elizabeth Sheffield wife of Samuel Sheffield and Mary Kinyon Wife of Thomas Kinyon. hath a desire to be Inniciated into Membership with Friends, Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Abigail Hoxsie Avis Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to Visit them ant take a Solid Oppertunity with them and Report their Sence of Their fitness to be Received into Membership With Friends, to our Next Monthly Meeting.

This Meeting concludes and proposes to meet again at the usual time at this place.

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 25th of the 11th Mo. 1793.

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representativ for So. Kingston are Bathsheba Knowles and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Wilber all present

The matter Respecting Robert Hazard and familys having a Certifica is again Continued to Another Month

The Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Westerly Meeting makes report that it is their Sense it is best that they be dismissed and they are dismissed accordingly

The Comtee that was Appointed to See the Solemnization of George Kinyon and Rachel Sheffields Marriage make Report that it Was conducted Orderly and that they have delivered the Certificate to the cle

The Comtee that was Appointed to inquire into the conversation and Clearness of Alic Sheffield Respecting Marriage make Report that they do not find any thing to hinder her Proceeding therein

Christopher Healy and Alice Sheffield Appeared in this Meeting and declaired that they continued their intentions of Marriage Nothing Appearing to obstruct they are allowed to proceed they keeping to the good order of Truth prescribed in that Case, Sarah Wilber and Weaver are Appointed to See their Marriage Solemnized and attend the Entertainment for the Same and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

The Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Mary Kinyon wife of Thom Kinyon on Account of her being Received into Membership with Friends, Make Report Which is as followeth.

We of the Comtee Appointed to Confer with Mary Kinyon wife of Thomas Kinyon on her Request to be Received a Member of Friends Society having a Solid Opportunity with her We think Well of her Request being granted as She Appears to be Sincere of an orderly Life. and principled with Friends. All Which We to the Monthly Meeting to be held at Richmond the 2d of the 11th Mo. 179

Abiel Knowles Abigail Hoxsie Simeon Perry
Sarah Hoxsie Peter Hoxsie

Which this Meeting accepts. and Receives her into Membership with Friends

The Comtee that was appointed to Visit Elizabeth Sheffield on account of her being Received into Membership with Friends not being Ready to Report that Matter is refer. to our next Monthly Meeting under their Care

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting Informs that Hezekiah Collins Requests the Care of Friends for his daughter Elizabeth Which we take notice of and with the Concurance of the Men Receive her under the Care of Friends

This Meeting concludes with a Humbled Sense of devine Favour Shed on us. and proposes to meet Again at the Usual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 30th day of the 12th 1793

The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are, for So. Kingston Sarah Hazard and Mary Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Wilber and Mary Collins all present

The Queries Were read and Answers agreed on in this Meeting an Account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting with the Answers to the Queries, by our Representatives Who are Mary Collins and Sarah Wilber

The matter Respecting Robert Hazard and family having a Certificate is again Refer.d as before

The Comtee that was Appointed to See the Marriage of Christopher Healy and Alice Sheffield Solemnized make Report Which is as followeth. We your Comtee Appointed to attend the Solemnization of the Marriag of Christopher Healy and Alice Sheffield. have attended the Same Agreable to Appointment Which We think Was Orderly Conducted and Lodged the Certificate With the Clerk to be Recorded.

Dorcas. Weaver. Thomas Wilber
Sarah. Wilber. Zebulon Weaver

To the next Monthly Meeting of Friends to be held at Richmond for So. Kingston

The Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Elizabeth Sheffield on Account of her being received into Membership with Friends not being Ready to Report that matter is refer.d to our next Monthly Meeting under their Care

So. Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Lucy Hazard daughter of Caleb Hazard [illegible]

Has transgressed Friends rules by profane Swearing which this Meeting takes notice of and Appoints Sarah Wilber and Ruth Rodman to Treat with her and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

Southkingston preparative Meeting also informs that Hannah Hoxsie proposes to lay her intention of Marriage with Simeon Perry before this Meeting. Simeon Perry and Hannah Hoxsie Appeared in this Meeting and Declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage. which this Meeting takes notice of and refers them to the next Monthly Meeting for their Answer. Avis Knowles and Sarah Hazard are Appointed Enquire into her Conversation and clearness respecting marriage and make report to our next Monthly Meeting

So Kingston preparative Meeting also informs that Sarah Peckham proposes to lay her intentions of Marriage with Acors Rathbun before this Meeting. Acors Rathbun and Sarah Peckham Appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of taking Each other in marriage they also produced the Consent of both their parents in writing. which this Meeting takes notice of and Refers them to next Monthly Meeting for their Answer. Deborah Rodman and Alice Congdon are Appointed to inquire into her Conversation and clearness Respecting Marriage and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting concludes and proposes to meet again at the usual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 27 of the 5th Mo: 1794

The Several preparative Meetings being Called there Representatives are, for So Kingston Alice Congdon and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Wilber and Dorcas Weaver all present except Mary Wilber who this Meeting is informed was prevented by indisposition in the family

This Meeting was informed that Mary Collins Attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment, Sarah Wilber sent a Satisfactory Reason for her not Attending, The Answers and Acct were delivered

The Comtee that was Appointed to joine the Mens Comtee to make the necessary enquiry concerning Robert Hazard and family having a Certificate make report which is as followeth

To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends to be held at Richmond for S^{o} Kingston the 27th of the 1st M^{o} 1794

According to Appointment we have Joind the Mens Com^{tee} in making enquiry in Order for Robert Hazard and familys having a Certificate and do not find any thing to hender their having one, And an Essay of one is prepared Accordingly.

Which is Approved and Sign^{d} in this Meeting for Robert Hazard and Sarah his Wife and Seven Children, Namely) Thomas; Elizabeth, Rowland. R. David. F. Robert. B. Sarah and Lydia, Directed to Danby in the State of Vermont

The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to Visit Elizabeth Sheffield on Account of her being Received into Membership with friends not being ready to report that matter is Again referd under their Care

The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to treat with Lucy Hazard for proffane Swearing not being ready to Report that matter is referd under their Care

The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to make the necessary enquiry into the conversation and clearness of Hannah Hoxsie Respecting Marriage report which is Accepted and is as followeth

To the Monthly Meeting of Women to be held at Richmond the 27th of the 1st M^{o} 1794

Agreable to Appointment we have made the necessary Enquiry into Hannah Hoxsie's Clearness respecting Marriage and do not find any thing to hinder her proceeding therein

Sarah Hazard
Avis Knowles

Simeon Perry and Hannah Hoxsie appeared in this meeting and Declaired they Continued their Intentions of Marriage. Nothing appearing to obstruct they are allowed to proceed they keeping to the Good Order established amongst friends in such Cases, And Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Hazard are Appointed to See their Marriage Sollomnized and attend the Entertainment for the Same and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

The Com^{tee} that was Appointed to enquire into the Conversation and Clearness of Sarah Peckham Respecting Marriage makes Report Which is Accepted and is as followeth

According to Appointment We have made Enquiry into Sarah Peckhams Clearness Respecting Marriage ingagements and do not find any thing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage with Acos Rathbun

Alice Congdon
Deborah Rodman

Acos Rathbun and Sarah Peckham Appeared in this Meeting and Declaired they Continued their intentions of Marriage nothing appearing to hinder they are Allowed to proceed

Any time between now and the next Monthly Meeting
Alice Congdon and Luceanna Knowles are Appointed to See their
marriage Solemnized and attend the Entertainment for the Same
and make Report to Our next Monthly Meeting
Receiv'd a report of part of the Comtee that was Appointed to
Visit the Poor Which is accepted and is as followeth

This Meeting Adjourns to the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond
for So Kingston the 24th of 2d Mo 1794
The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their
Representatives are for So Kingston Alice Congdon for
Hopkinton Barsheba Collins and Mary Collins all present
The Comtee that was Appointed to treat With Lucy Hazard
have made no Report therefore that matter is Continued
under their Care
One of the Comtee that was Appointed to See the Marriage
of Simeon Perry and Hannah Hoxsie Solomnized make
Report Which is as followeth According to Appointment I
attended the Marriage of Simeon Perry and Hannah Hoxsie
and I think it Was in a good degree Orderly Conducted
Dorcas Weaver
The matter respecting Elizabeth Sheffield is again
as before Referd
A part of the Comtee which was Appointed to See the
Marriage of Acors Rathbun and Sarah Peckham
Sollomnized make Report Which is as followeth
According to Appointment We Attended the Marriage
Sollomnised by Acors Rathbun and Sarah Peckham
Which According to our Observation Was Orderly
Conducted, and delivered the Certificate to the
Clerke to be Recorded Andrew Nichols
Alice Congdon John Congdon

Lucianna Knowles Sent a Satisfactory Reason for her not attending the Marriag of Amos Rathbun and Sarah Peckham

This Meeting is Adjourned to the Usual time and Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond for So Kingston the 31st of 3d Mo 1794

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Mary Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Katherine Kinyon and Temperance Bragg all present except Katherine Kinyon who sent no Reason for her absence

the Comtee that was appointed to treat with Lucy Hazard have made no Report therefore that matter is again Continued under their Care, Hannah Perrys name being added to the Comtee and Sarah Wilbers Name Erased

The Comtee appointed to Vissit Elizabeth Sheffield make Report which is Received and is as followeth

We of the Comtee appointed to Confer with Elizabeth Sheffield on her Request to be Admited a member of Our Religious Society having had an oportunity with her on that Account She appears to be in a good Degree of an Orderly Life and Conversation and Principled with Friends and we think Well of her Request being granted all which we Submit to the Monthly Meeting

Abigail Hoxsie Amos Collins
Avis Knowles Peter Hoxsie
Simeon Perry

Whereupon this Meeting Receives her a Member of our Religious Society and the Clerke is desired to inform her thereof

The Queries was Read and Answers agreed on in this Meeting

An account was drawn and directed to be Sent up with the Answers to the Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Hannah Perry and Mary Knowles

Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Phebe Rice desires a Certificate to Greenwich Monthly Meeting and likewise Elizabeth Hoxsie desires a Certificate to Acoaxet Monthly Meeting whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah Wilber and Sarah Hoxsie to make the Necessary inquiry on that account and if they find Nothing to hinder Draw a Certificate and present to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes to meet again at the usual time at So Kingston

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So. Kingston the 28th of 4th Mo. 1794

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So. Kingston are Alice Congdon and Mercy Peckham for Hopkintown Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Wilber. All present except Sarah Wilber Who ~~Who~~ Sent a Satisfactory Reason for her Absence

Mary Knowles inform'd this Meeting that She attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreeable to Appointment

The Comtee that was Appointed to treat With Lucy Hazard make Which is accepted and is as followeth

We your Comtee Appointed to treat With Lucy Hazard on the Complaint Brought against her for profane Swearing &c. have treat With her, and She did not appear of a disposition to Condemn Said Conduct · Hannah Perry Simeon Perry
Ruth Rodman John Congdon

Whereupon with the Unity of the Men's Meeting We deny her any longer a Right of Membership in Our Religious Society untill She Return and make Friends Satisfaction for her Aforesaid transgression and Alice Congdon to inform her thereof and make Report to Our next Monthly Meeting.

Abigail Hoxsie Cert

The Friends that Was Appointed to make Enquiry Respecting Abigail Hoxsies having a Certificate have prepared one Which is accepted and Sign'd by the Clerke, Likewise one for Phebe Rice Which is also accepted and Sign'd by the Clerke

Phebe Rice Cert

Hopkintown Preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Healy desires to be Iniciated into membership With Friends She also Appear'd in this Meeting and Continued her Request Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Bathsheba Collins and Mary Knowles to Visit her and inquire into her Life and conversation and also have a Solid Opportunity With her and Report their Sence of her fitness to be Received to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Received a Certificate from Greenwich Monthly Meeting dated the 7th of 4 Mo. 1794 for Anna Raynolds Wife of Jonathan Raynolds and Four Daughters Viz Mary Elizabeth Abigail and Dorcas

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at the Usual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 26th of 5th Mo 1794 The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Hannah Perry and Deborah Rodman. for Hopkinton Martha Kenyon and Dorcas Weaver all present Except Dorcas Weaver who Sent a Satisfactory Reason for her absence

The Comte Appointed to Visit Elizabeth Healy on Account of her being Inniciated into membership with Friends. not being Ready to Report that matter is Continued under their Care to be Reported to our next Monthly Meeting

So Kingstown preparative Meeting informs that Deborah Congdon daughter of William Congdon is keeping Company on account of Marriage with one not of our Society, Which this Meeting takes notice of and Appoints Hannah Perry and Deborah Rathbun to treat with her on that Account and make Report to Our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again the Usual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 30th of 6th Mo 1794 The Several preparitive Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Hannah Perry and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Sarah Wilber all present

The Friend that was Appointed to inform Lucy Hazard of her Being denyed a right of Membership Report She hath performed that Service. One of the Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Elizabeth Healy on Account of her being Inniciated in to membership with Friends inform this Meeting that they think it best to wait with her, that Matter is Continued under their care

The Friends that was Appointed to treat with Deborah Congdon on Account of her keeping Company on Account of Marriage out of the Unity of Friends make Report Which is accepted and is as followeth,

According to Appointment we your Comtee have treated with Deborah Congdon on the Complaint Against her and She doth not Appear of a Disposition to Condemn her Mis= Conduct. All Which We Submit to the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends

Hannah Perry
Deborah Rathbun

Whereupon this Meeting Refers the Same for farther Consideration

The Appointing of overseers Came before this Meeting Whereupon Thankful Collins, Sarah Wilber, Hannah Perry, Mary Knowles, Alice Congdon, and Ruth Rodman are appointed to that Service for the Year insuing

Ruth Rodman is Appointed Clerk for the year insuing
This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at So Kingston the 28th of 7th Mo 1794

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston Hannah Perry and Avis Knowles for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Wilber all Present

The Querys was Read and Answer Agreed on in this Meeting an account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilber and Avis Knowles

The Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Elizabeth on Account of her Being Inniciated into Membership with Friends not being Ready to Report that Matter is Contiaued under their Care

The Matter Respecting Deborah Congdon keeping Company on account of Marriage with one not of our Society is again Referd as before

This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and considered of Such matters as Appeard necessary

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Joseph Healy proposes to lay his Intetion of Marriage with Martha Davis before this Meeting, Joseph Healy and Martha Davis Appeard in this Meeting and declaird their intention of takin Each other in Marriage they also produced her Mothers Consent in Writing Which this Meeting takes Notice of and Appoints Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Wilber to enquire into her Conversation and Clearness Respecting Marriage and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 1st of 9th Mo 1794

The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingston are Marcy Peckham and Ruth Rodman for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Wilber all present Marcy Peckham who this Meeting is informed is Unwell

This Meeting is informed that the Representatives Attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreeable to Appointment

The Comtee that was Appoint~~ment~~ to Visit Elizabeth Healy on Account of her being Inniciated into Membership wi Friends Report they think well of her being Received ~~in to membership~~ a Member of our Religious Society She is Received Accordingly

The Matter Respecting Deborah Congdon is Refer'd as before

The Comtee that was Appointed to enquire into the Conversation and Clearn of Martha Davis Respecting Marriage Make Report which is as followeth

Hopkinton the 31st of 8th Mo 1794 According we ~~have~~ made the necessary Enquiry Respecting ~~Marriage~~ Martha Davis's Conversation and Clearng Respecting Marriage Engagements and dont finde any thing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage with Joseph Healy

Bathsheba Collins
Sarah Wilber

Joseph Healy and Martha Davis Appeared in this Meeting and Declair'd they Continued their intentions of Marriage there Nothing Appearing to hinder they are Allowed to proceed. Dorcas Weaver and Bathsheba Collins are Appointed to See their Marriage Solemnized and to Retire with them to their habitation and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting how the Same was Conducted

Received a Certificate from RhodIsland Monthly Meeting on behalf of Mary Nichols Wife of Andrew Nichols Junr

Mary Nichols

Certificate From our Monthly Meeting held at Newport for RhodIsland the 29th of 7 Mo 1794. to the Monthly Meeting of So Kingston

Mary Nichols wife of Andrew Nichols Junr having Removed within the Compass of your Monthly Meeting and desires our Certificate These may Certify that She is a Member of our Society in Good Esteem with us having been careful in Attending our religious Meetings as also Conducting in Other Respects in good measure Agreeable to the principles of our profession, We Recommend her to your Care And are your Friends Brethren and Sisters.

Clarke Rodman } Clk for this time
Rebecca Almy } Clk for this time

Mary Hazard Wife of Jonathan Hazard hath Sent in an acknowledgment Condemning her misconduct in Marrying out of Unity With Friends Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Sarah Hoxsie and Ruth Rodman to Visit her and take a Solid Opportunity With her. and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

So Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Susanna Wilcox proposes to lay her intention of Marriage with Isaac Wilber before this Monthly Meeting. Isaac Wilber and Susanna Wilcox Appeared Appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of taking each other in Marriage and also produced their parents Concent in Writing Which this Meeting takes notice of and Appoints Hannah Perry and Sarah Hazard to enquire into her Conversation and Clearness Respecting Marriage and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting. So Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that our Friend Sarah Hoxsie has had a desire on her mind for Some time to Attend Sandwich Quarterly Meeting and desires a few lines by way of Certificate She being

a member of our Meeting in good Esteem with us and an Elde
among us the Clerke is directed to give her a Coppy of this minute
The Men Friends inform'd this Meeting that a Proposition came
up from ~~Hopkintown~~ So: Preparative Meeting about dividing or altering the
holding the Preparative Meeting Whereuppon this Meeting Appoints
Hannah Perry Sarah Wilber Ruth Foster Dorcas Weaver and
Alice Congdon to Join the Mens Comtee in Considering What Way
Will be most for the promotion of Truth
This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet the Usual
at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So: Kingston
the 29th of 9th Mo: 1794
The Several Preparative Meeting being Called their Representat
for So: Kingston are Avis Knowles and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton
Sarah Wilber and Thankful Collins. Alice Congdon and Sarah Wilb
not being present Satisfactory Reasons Was Rendered for their absence
The Querries Was Read in this Meeting and Answers agreed to and
directed to be Sent up with the Acount to the Quarterly Meeting
by our Representatives Who Are Deborah Rodman and Mercy Peckam
The matter Respecting Deborah Congdon is Refer'd to our next
Monthly Meeting
The Friends that was Appointed the Marriage of Joseph Healy
and Martha Davis make Report as followeth

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The Comtee that Was Appointed to Visit Mary Hazard Report as
followeth Which is Received and is as followith. According to
appointment We have had an Opportunity With Mary Hazard
Respecting her Condemning her Marrying out of the Unity of
Friends and by what Appears We think her Sincere therein
and think Well of her being Restored to Membership again
Which We Submit to the Monthly Meeting to be held in
So: Kingston the 29th of 9th Mo: 1794 John Congdon
Sarah Hopse William Knowles
Ruth Rodman

With the Unity of the men Friends this Meeting Restores her
into Membership again and appoints Deborah Rodman to See
the acknowledgment Read at the end of a first day Meeting
Where She Usually attends
The Comtee that Was Appointed to inquire into the Clearness
of Susanna Wilcox Respecting Mariage and her Conversation
Report as followeth

According to Appointment we have made Enquiry concerning Suſanna Wilcoxs Converſation and Clearneſs Reſpecting Marriage Engagements and She Appears of an Ordorly Converſation and Clear of Marriage Engag amon Accept with him With whom She hath declair.d her intention of Marriage

Hannah Perry
Sarah Hazard

Iſaac Wilbir and Suſanna Wilcox appeard in this Meeting and declair.d they Continued their intentions Marriage nothing appearing to hinder they are at liberty to proceed any time between this and the next Monthly Meeting keeping to the good Order preſcribed in that Caſe Hannah and Deborah Rodman are Appointed to See the Marriage Solomnized and Retire to their habitation With them, and Report to our Next Mo. Meeting
The Comttee that was Appointed to Conſidir the dividing or altiring the holding So. Kingſton Preparative Meeting Report that the holding it 8 months at So. Kingſton and 4 Months at Richmond is the Concluſion of Said Comtee.

Alice Congdon
Hannah Perry

Which Meets the the Approbation of this and the mens Meeting
So. Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Mary Dockray Wif of John Dockray has tranſgreſs.d Friends Rules in not Attending Meetings Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Avis Knowles and Hannah Hazard to Viſit her and Report to our next Monthly Meeting
This Meeting was informd that a part of the Overſeers met and Conſidird of the Buſineſs that Came before them
the Clerk has delivered Sarah Hoxſie a Coppy of a Minute as directed by the laſt Monthly Meeting. Deborah Rodman informd this Meeting that She was Willing to Accompany Sarah Hoxſie to Sandwich Quarterly Meeting, She is a Member of this Meeting and the Clerk is directed to give her a Coppy of this Minute
This Meeting Concludes and propoſes to Meet again at Richmond the Uſual time and place
At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 27 of 10th Mo. 1794. The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives for So. Kingſton are Sarah Hoxſie and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Bathſheba Collins and Dorcas Weaver all preſent Except Dorcas Weaver
This Meeting is informd the Repreſentatives that was appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attinded Agreable to appointment and have delivered the anſwers and Account to the Quarterly Mee-ting and have Received the Epiſtles and deliver.d the ſame to this Meeting
The matter Reſpecting Deborah Congdon is Refer.d as before
This Meeting Was informed that the Acknoledgment of Mary Hazar Was Read According to Appointment
The Comttee that was Appointed~~ment~~ to See the Marriage of Iſaac Wilbur and Suſanna Wilcox Solemnized make Report Which is as followeth

According to Appointment We Attended the Marriage of Isaac Wilbur and Susanna Wilcox and Attended the entertainment thereafter and According to our Observation ~~and~~ We think the Same Was orderly conducted and the Certificate was delivered to the Clerk to be Recorded
Simeon Perry, Peter Hoxsie, Hannah Perry, Deborah Rodman

The Comtee that Was Appointed to Visit Mary Dockray Make Which We Refer for Consideration

This Meeting Adjourns to the 10th of the 11th Mo.

Tenth day met by Adjournment the Representatives all present - except Sarah Hazard Who this Meeting is informed is Unwell

Hopkintown Preparative Meeting informs that the Select Meeting nominated Dorcas Weaver to be Appointed to the Station of an Elder Which We Refer to our next Monthly Meeting by her Request

Hopkintown Preparative Meeting also informs that Sarah Robinson desires a Certificate to Rhod Island Monthly Meeting Which We likewise Refer

Receivd a Certificate from Greenwich dated the 8th of 9th Mo. 1794 for Sarah Congdon Wife of Charles Congdon and four Children namely Bathsheba, William, Mary and Joseph.

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again the Usual time at this place if the Lord permit

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond the 1st of 12 Mo. 17
The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatio for So. Kingston are Thankful Dye and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Thankful Collins. Thankful Dye pres and Satisfactory Reasons was Rendered for Alice Congdons and Sarah Wilburs Absence

The matter Respecting ~~Mary Dockray~~ Deborah Congdon is Refered as before

The matter Respecting Mary Dockray is Refered to our nex Monthly Meeting

Dorcas Weaver not being present the matter of her being Appointed to the place of an Elder is again Refered

So. Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Alice Congd is Nominated to the place of an Elder at the mens Request the Appointment is refered to our next Monthly Meeting

So. Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Fost proposes to Lay her Intentions of Marriage with James Sheffield Before this Meeting. Their Parents Consent being produced in Writing. James Sheffield and Sarah Foster Appeared in this ~~Meeting~~ and declaired their intentions of taking Each other in Marriage Which this Meeting takes noti of and [illegible] Appoints Sarah Hoxe and [illegible]

Thankful Dye to make the necessary inquery and Report to our next Monthly Meeting

Hopkintown Preparative Meeting informs that Martha Tift and Esther Champlin has transgressed Friends Rules by Marring out of the Unity of Friends The Smallness of the Meeting obliges us to Refer the Appointing of a Comtee to our next Meeting

Our Friend John Wigham attended this Meeting with a Certificate from the Monthly Meeting held at Abberdeen the 4th Mo 1794 with one from the Quarterly Meeting and another from the Yearly Meeting of Ministers and Elders held in London the 5th Mo 1794

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 29 of 12th Mo 1794

The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingston are Hannah Perry and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Sarah Wilber All present Except Sarah Wilber Who this Meeting is informed is Unwell

The Queries ware Read and Answers agreed on in this Meeting an account Was drawn and directed to be Sent up with the Answers to the Queries to the Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives Who are Anis Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie

The matter Respecting Deborah Congdons keeping Company on acount of Marriage with one Not of our Society being Reconsidered in this Meeting. With the Unity on the Mens Meeting we deny her any longer a Right of Membership in Our Religious Society until She Return and make Friends Satisfaction for her aforesaid Transgression

Hannah Perry is Appointed to draw a Testamony of Denial against her and bring to our next Monthly Meeting

The matter Respecting Mary Dockray coming before this Meeting it is the Judgment of the Mens Meeting it is best to wait longer With her

The Matter of Dorcas Weaver being Appointed to the place of an Elder is Referd as before

The Mens Meeting informed this Meeting that they Concur with us in the Appointing Alice Congdon to the place of an Elder and Mary Wilber is Appointed to inform the Select Meeting thereof

One of the Comtee Appointed to Enquire in to the Conversation and Clearness of Sarah Foster Respecting Marriage Report they donot find any thing to hinder her proceeding any time between now and the next Monthly Meeting Martha Kinyon and Mary Knowles are appointed to See their Marriage Solemnized

And with them to their Place of Abode
The Matter Respecting Martha Fish and Esther Champlin Coming before this Meeting, With the Approbation of the Mens Meeting We conclude to deny them any longer a Right of Membership in our Religious Soceety, Untill they Return and make Friends Satisfactio for their Afore Said transgressions

Southkingston Preparative Meeting informs that Ruth Rodman proposes to Lay her Intentions of Marriage with Jonathan Babcock before this Meeting, Jonathan Babcock and Ruth Rodman Appeared in this Meeting and declaired their Intentions of taking each other in Marriage Which this Meeting takes notice of and desires them to Wait till next Monthly Meeting for an Answer Alice Congdon and Sarah Hazaard are Appointed to make the necessary inquiry and Report to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at the Usual time and Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 26 of the 1st Mo. 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Represe tatives for So. Kingston are Sarah Hazard and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Temperance Bragg all present Except Sarah Hazard for Which a Satisfactory Reaso Was given for her absence

This Meeting is informed that the Representatives Attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment and delive the Answers to the Queries With the Account and Likewise inform ~~that~~ the Quarterly Meeting Approved of the Appointment of Alice Congdon to the place of an Elder

The Friend that was Appointed to draw a Testamony of Denial against Deborah Congdon hath presented on accordingly Which is Approved and Signed by the Clerk,

Deborah Rodman is Appointed to See the Same Read at the end of a first day Meeting Where She did belong

The Matter Respecting Dorcas Weaver is again Refered

The Friends that Was Appointed the Marriage of James Sheffi and Sarah Foster make Report Which is as followeth

According to Appointment We have Attended the Marriage of James Sheffield and Sarah Foster and also the Entertainment and We think it Was Orderly Conducted. Martha Kenyon Mary Kn

The Friends that was Appointed to Enquire into the Conversation and Clearness of Ruth Rodman Respecting Marriage make rep as followeth

According to Appointment we have made Inquiry into Ruth Rodmans Clearness Respecting Marriage, and find nothing to hinder her proceeding therein

Alice Congdon Sarah Hazard

Jonathan Babcock and Ruth Rodman Appeard in this Meeting and declaird they Continued their intentions of Marriage nothing Appearing to hinder there proceeding therein they are allowed to proceed. Alice Congdon and Avis Knowles are Appointed to attend the Solomnizing of Said Marriage and Return With them ~~with~~ to their habitations and Report to the next Monthly Meeting

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that hannah Sheffield daughter of William Sheffield desires to be Inniciated into Membership With Friends. Bathsheba Collins and Ruth Foster are Appointed to take a Solid Oppertunity With her and Report their Sence of her fitness to be Received a Member, to our next Monthly Meeting

The Epistles from the Yearly Meetings of New York and Philidelphia Was Read in this Meeting to Good Satisffaction

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at the Usual time & place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 22^d of 7^d M^o 1795.

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for S^o Kingston are, Sarah Hoxsie and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Mary Wilber All Present

The Frien that Was Appointed to See the Denial of Deborah Congdon Read Report that it was Read According to Appointment

The Appointment of Dorcas Weaver to the place of an Elder is Refer'd another Month by the Mens Request for farther Consideration

A part of the Com^{tee} that was Appointed to attend the Marriage of Jonathan Babcock and Ruth Rodman Report as followeth

According to Appointment We Attended the Marriage of Jonathan Babcock and Ruth Rodman and the Entertainment thereafter and According to our Observation the Same was Orderly Conducted and deliverd the Certificate to the Clerk. Robert Knowles, Avis Knowles Rendered a Satisfactory for her not Attending

Andrew Nichols Jun^r
Alice Congdon

A part of the Com^{tee} that was Appointed to Visit Hannah Sheffield and to take a Solid Oppertunity with her Report which is accepted and is as followeth

According to Appointment We Visited Hannah Sheffield and had a Solid Oppertunity With her, and She Appears to be principled with Friends and is of an Orderly Life and Conversation and Appears to be Sincere in her Request and We think Well of her Request being granted all Which We Submit to the Monthly Meeting. Joseph Collins, Amos Collins, Zebulon Weaver, Ruth Foster

She is Received accordingly into Membership with Friends

Hannah Gardner Wife of Wilkinson Gardner hath Sent in a paper Condemning her Misconduct in Marrying out of the Unity of Friends and likewise a first Cousin Which this Meeting takes notice of and Appoints Sarah Hoxsie and Alice Congdon to Visit her and take a Solid Opportunity with her and Report to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at the Usual time at this Place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 30th of the 3 Mo 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingston are Hannah Perry and Avis Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Bathsheba Collins all present Except Hannah Perry The Queries was Read and Answers agreed on in their Meeting and an Account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Avis Knowles and Sarah Wilber

The Mens Meeting informed this Meeting that they United with us in the Appointing of Dorcas Weaver to the Place of an Elder

The Comttee that was Appointed to Visit Hannah Gardner Report they have Visited her and are not fully Satisfyd they desire another Opportunity with her, and the Matter is Continued under their Care

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at So Kingston if the Lord permit

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 27 of the 4th Mo 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingston are Alice Congdon and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Mary Wilber and Dorcas Weaver All present

One of the Representatives informed this Meeting that they all Attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment

The Comttee that was Appointed to Visit Hannah Gardner and take a Solid opportunity with her make Report which is as followeth

Agreeable to Appoint we have had another opportunity with Hannah Gardner and do not think it best to Restore her into Unity with Friends at present all which we Submit to the Monthly Meeting

Sarah Hoxsie } Peter Hoxsie
Alice Congdon } William Knowles

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Martha Healy Desires that her two Daughters Mary and Martha Davis might be taken under Friends Care which is Referd for farther Consideration

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting ~~informs~~ Propoſes to the Conſideration of this Whether it may not be beſt to make Some Alteration in the places of holding Some of the Monthly Meetings, the Mens Meeting Alſo inform this that they have Appointed a Comtee to take the matter into Conſideration Which this Meeting thinks beſt to Submit unto them

This Meeting Adjourns to the Uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingſton the [illegible]th of the 6th Mo 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives are for So Kingſton Avis Knowles and Katherine Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Dorcas Weaver all preſent Except Dorcas Weaver

The Matter reſpecting Martha Healys Requeſt that two of her Daughters might be taken under Friends Care has Again been taken under Conſideration, Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Hannah Perry and Sarah Wilber to Viſit her and take a Solid Opportunity with her and her Children and make Report to our next Monthly Meeting

The Report of Men Friends for the altering of the place of holding Some of the Monthly Meetings, was read in this Meeting, and Concurd with

This Meeting adjourns to the Uſual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingſton the 29th of the 6th Mo 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives for So Kingſton are Katherine Knowles and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Bathſheba Collins and Sarah Sheffield all preſent

The Comtee that was Appointed to Viſit Martha Healy and her Daughters not being Ready to Report that matter is Refered to Our next Monthly Meeting

The Appointing a Clerk is Refered to our next Monthly Meeting

The Chooſing Overſeers came before this Meeting Whereupon Bathſheba Collins, Thankful Collins, Hannah Perry, Sarah Hazard, Avis Knowles, and Ruth Babcock are Appointed to that Service for the Year inſuing

This Meeting Concludes and propoſes to Meet again at the Uſual time at the lower Meetinghouſe in Said Town

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingſton the 27th of the 7th Mo 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives for So Kingſton are Sarah Hazard and Thankful Dye for Hopkinton Martha Kenyon and Mary Wilber all preſent

The Queries were Read and Anſwers agreed on and Account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Repreſentatives who are Alice Congdon and Hannah Perry

The Comtee that was Appointed to Viſit Martha and her Daughters make Report which is ~~Exe~~ Accepted and is as followeth

According to Appointment we Viſited Joſeph Healy and his Wife Reſpecting their Requeſt for his Wifes two Daughters being taken Under the Care of Friends and had a Solid oppertunity With them and her eldeſt daughter, the other being an Infant, and We think Well of their Requeſt being granted, all which We Submit to the Monthly Meeting to be held at So. Kingſton the 27th of 7th Mo. 1795. Joſeph Collins, Zebulon Weaver, William Knowles

Hannah Perry, Sarah Wilbur,

They are Received Accordingly

Deborah Rodman is Appointed Clerk for the year enſuing and the former Clerk is to deliver to her all the Papers that belongs to the Monthly Meeting

Mary Wilbur, Sarah Wilbur, Alice Congdon, are Appointed to the place of Overſeers of the Poor.

The deficiency of Recording Births and Deaths coming before this Meeting that matter is injoined on the Overſeers to make enquiry and Report to this Meeting as Soon as is Convenient

Part of the Overſeers make Report that they met as Uſual and Conferred on Such matters as Appeared neceſsary and did not find any thing thought neceſsary to be Brought to this Meeting.

This Meeting concludes and propoſes to meet again at the Uſual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So. Kingſton the 31st of ye 8th Mo. 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called the Repreſentatives for So. Kingſton are Thankful Dye and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Wilbur all preſent Except Thankful Dye Who this Meeting is informd is unwell

The Repreſentatives informd this Meeting they Attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreable to Appointment

This Meeting concludes and propoſes to meet at the uſual time at Hopkinton

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton the 28 of ye 9th Mo. 1795

The Several preparative Meetings being Called the Repreſentatives for So. Kingſton are Alice Congdon and Hannah Perry for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Martha [illegible] all Preſent.

The Queries were read and Anſwers agreed on in this Meeting and an Account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Repreſentatives who are Katharine Kinyon and Deborah Rodman

Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Dorcas Croſs deſires to be Initiated into Membership with Friends. She Appeared in this Meeting and continued her Requeſt. Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilbur and Bathſheba Collins to take a Solid Opportunity with her and Report their Senſe of her fitneſs to be admitted into Membership to ~~our~~ next Mee

One of the Overſeers informs this Meeting that a part of them ~~Over~~ met and conſidered Such buſineſs as came before them.

This Meeting adjourns to the Uſual time at this place

(At a Monthly Meeting held at Hopkinton the 26th of ye 10th Mo 1795

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives for So Kingſton are Mary Knowles and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Hannah Sheffield and Sarah Wilbur all preſent

This Meeting was informed that Katharine Kinyon Attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment and Deborah Rodman gave a Satiſfactory Reaſon for her abſence. We Received Tranſcripts of Epiſtles from Several parts one from London dated 19th of ye 5th Mo 1794, One from Philidelphia dated the 29 of 9th Mo 1794. One from Newyorke dated 25th of 5th Mo 1795 and one from Newport dated 12th of the 6th Mo 1795. Which hath been Read to our Satiſfaction and Comfort

The Comtee Which was Appointed to Viſit Dorcas Croſs make Report Which accepted and is as followeth. According to Appointment we have Viſited Dorcas Croſs and have had a Solid Opportunity with her Upon her Requeſt to be admitted a Member of our Society, Who appears to be of an orderly life and Converſation, and one in principle with Friends, and we think well of her Requeſt being granted. All Which we Submit to the Monthly Meeting to be held at Hopkinton the 26th of ye 10th Mo 1795
Mary Wilbur
Bathſheba Collins

Whereupon She is Admitted a Member of our Society having the Unity of the mens Meeting therein

This Meeting Concludes and propoſes to meet at the Uſual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting held at Hopkinton the 30th of ye 11 Mo 1795

The Several preparative Meetings being Called the Repreſentatives for So Kingſton are Thankful Dye and Sarah Hoppin for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Wilbur all preſent Except Thankful Dye Who this Meeting is informed is prevented attending by indiſpoſition of body

Southkingſton Preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Knowles Requeſts a Removal Certificate to New Richmond Monthly Meeting

Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard are appointed to prepare one if there appe
nothing and present to our next Monthly Meeting

Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Elenor Rice
had Returned back within the Verge of Greenwich Monthly Meeting
which this Meeting takes Notice of and directs a few Lines to be prepar
for her in this Meeting. Which is finished and Signed

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that the Overseer
had Visited Susannah Morgan, and Hannah and Lucy Gorton
all daughters of Mary Gorton who is Widdow of Samuel Gorton
deceas'd. the first for Marrying out of the Unity of Friends
and all for Attending places of publick Resort and for the
Neglect of Attending Friends Meetings, which this Meeting
takes notice of and Appoints, Sarah Wilbur and Sarah
Browning to Visit them and Report their disposition of mind
they Appear in to our Next Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet next at Richmon

At a Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the 28 of 12 Mo 179
the Several ~~At~~ preparative Meetings being Called their Representat
for So Kingston are Katherine Knowles and Alice Congdon for
Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Hannah Collins all present

The matter Respecting the Widow Gortons daughters is Refered
to our next Meeting

The Comtee that was Appointed to prepare a Certificate
for Sarah Knowles finding nothing to hinder they have
prepared one which is as followeth, and Sign'd by the Cler

The Queries were Read and answers agreed on in this
Meeting an Account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly
Meeting By our Representatives who are Sarah Hoxsie
and Avis Knowles, Our Friend Mary Mitchel attend
this Meeting with a Coppy of a Minute from the Mo
Meeting of Nantucket Monthly Meeting for the Northern
destrict dated 27th of 5th Mo 1795 Expressing her being a
Friend and Minister in Unity with them

And that they Concur with her in paying a Religious Visit to Some part of Our Quarter as Truth Might open the Way

Southkingstown preparative Meeting informs that Elisabeth Dye daughter of Daniel Dye is keeping Company on Account of Marriage With one not of our Society which this Meeting takes notice of and appoints Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie to treat With her and Report to our next Meeting

Hopkintown Preparative Meeting informs that Elisabeth ~~Dee~~ Dockray (now Woodard) is Married out of the Unity of Friends Which this Meeting takes notice of and Appoints Mary Wilber and Bathsheba Collins to treat with her and make Report to our next Meeting.

One of the Overseers make Report that all the Births and deaths in that Meeting is Recorded Except one Which is to be done

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at the Usual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the 1st of 12 Mo 1796 the Several preparative Meetings being Called the Representatives for So Kingston are Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Katherine Kinyon and Sarah Wilbur all present.

The Clerke not being present We have not the priviledg of the last Monthly Meeting Minutes. The Comtee that was Appointed to Visit Elisabeth Dye Report as followeth

The Consideration of Which is Refered to our next Monthly Meeting

Signed by Sarah Hoxsie Clerke for the day

At A Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond the 29th of 12mo 1796 the Several preparative Meetings being Called the Representatives for So Kingston are Avis Knowles and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Mary Wilbur, all present but Mary Wilbur Who this Meeting Was informd was prevented attending by Sickness in the family

The matter Respecting the Widow Gortons Daughters is again Refered under the Care of the Same Comtee

The matter Respecting Elisabeth Dye comeing before this Meeting our making a Minute against her is Refered to our next Meeting by the Request of a Man Friend

The Friends that was Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting inform that they Attended agreeable to Appointment

The matter Respecting Elizabeth Woodard Coming before this Meeting the Com^tee not being Ready to Report this thought fit to add Sarah Willbur to that Com^tee

Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs that Susanna Mowry (formerly Susanna Collins) Daughter of Amos Collins is Married out of the unity of Friends: She being pregnant before Marriage This Meeting Appoints Avis Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to Visit her and Report to our next Meeting

Received a few lines from Hannah Gardner dated the 16 of the 1 M^o 1796 informing that She Continued her Request to be Restored in to Membership with Friends Avis Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie are Appointed to Write to her and to that Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at the Usual time and place

At a Monthly Meeting held the 20^th of y^e 3^d M^o 1796 the Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for S^o Kingston are Alice Congdon and Katherine Knowles for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Mary Willbur all present

The matter Respectin the Widdow Gortons Daughters is again Refered under the Care of the Same Com^tee

The matter Respecting Elizabeth Dye coming again before this Meeting and after Considering the Same We deny her having any Longer a Right of Membership in our Religious Society until She Return and make Friends Satisfaction, having the Unity of the Mens Meeting therein and Avis Knowles is Appointed to Inform her thereof

The matter Respecting Elizabeth Woodard is Refered to the fifth Month Under the care of the Same Com^tee as before

The Comtee that Was Appointed to Visit Susanna Mowry informs this Meeting they thought best to Wait with her that matter is Continued under the Care of the Same Com^tee

The Com^tee that was Appointed to Write to Hannah Gardner ~~Report~~ and the Monthly Meeting of hudson Have Presented them to this meeting which was approved and Signed by the Clerk

The Queries Ware Read and Answers Agreed on in this Meeting and an account Was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Representatio Who are Mary Wilbur and Katherine Kinyon

So Kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Elisabeth Congdon is keeping Company With one that is not a Member amongst Which this Meeting Refers to our next Meeting

Mary Carpenter Sent in a paper of Acknowledgment the Considerati of Which is Refer'd to our next Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again the Usual time at this pl

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond ye 25th of ye 4th Mo 1796 The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingston are Sarah Hazard and Avis Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Martha Davis: All present Except Sarah Wilbur Who Sent a Satisfactory Reason for her Absence

One of the Comtee inform'd this Meeting that She had Visited Susanna Mowry, Hannah and Lucy Gorton and they did not Appear of a disposition to make satisfaction for their transgressions and with the Unity of the Men We put them from Under our Care and the Right of Membership With us Untill they Make Satisfaction for their transgressions mentioned in the W Mo. Avis Knowles is Continued to inform Elisabeth Dye that a minute is made against her.

This Meeting was inform'd that the Friends appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting Attend Agreeable to Appointment

The matter Respecting Elisabeth Congdon is Again Refer'd.

The matter Respecting Mary Carpenter Cooming before this Meeting Avis Knowles and Alice Congdon are Appointed to Visit her and Report their Sence of her fitness to be Restor'd to Membership Again

The preparing a few Lines for our Esteemed Friend Mary Mitchel being Considered in this Meeting to Nantucket Monthly Meeting for the Northern district. Mary Wilbur is Appointed to prepair them and bring to our Next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at So Kingston upper Meeting House

At a Monthly Meeting held at So Kingston the 30th of the 5th Mo 1796 the Several Preparative Meetings being called their Representatives for So Kingston ar Mercy Peckham and Hannah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Martha Kenyon All present.

Avis Knowles inform'd this Meeting that She had inform'd Elisabeth Dye that a Minute Was made against her

The matter Respecting Elizabeth Congdon is Refer'd again

The matter Respecting Mary Carpenter is Refered under the Care of the Same Comttee as before

The friend that was Appointed to prepare a few lines for Mary Mitchel hath presented them Which was Read Approved and Signed by the Clerks of both Meetings

The matter Respecting Elizabeth Woodard is Continued Again

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again the Usual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting held in So Kingston the 27th of ye 6 Mo 1796 the Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives for So Kingston are Sarah Hazard and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Mary Collins all present

The matter Respecting Elizabeth Congdon is Refered

The Friends that was Appointed to Visit Mary Carpenter make Report Which is as followeth

According to Appointment We have Visited Mary Carpenter Daughter of Benjamin Rodman on account of her condemning her Marrying out of the Unity of Friends and having an Opportunity with her We think her Sincere therein and think Well of her being Restored to Membership Again. Which We Submit to the Monthly Meeting of Friends to be held at So Kingston the 30th of ye 5 Mo 1796

With the Unity of the Men She is Received into Membership Again. Alice Congdon is Appointed to inform her thereof

The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Woodard is continued under the care of the Same Comttee as before

The Choosin of Overseers coming before this Meeting Whereupon Hannah Perry, Sarah Hazard, Sarah Wilbur, Thankful Collins, and Dorcas Weaver are Appointed to that Service for the year insuing

Sarah Hoxse, Sarah Hazard, Sarah Wilbur, and Alice Congdon are Appointed to Attend Funerals

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Robinson Requests a Certificate to Rhod Island Monthly Meeting Sarah Wilbur and Thankful Collins are Appointed to prepare one and bring to our next Meeting

This Meeting Concludes and is to meet again at the lower Meeting House in So Kingston at the Usual time

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held ~~at~~ So Kingſton 1st of 8th Mo 1796
The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives
for So Kingſton are Mercy Peckham and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton
Mary Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur all preſent
The Queries was Read and anſwers agread on in this Meeting and an
account was drawn to Send to the Quarterly Meeting by our Repreſentatives
Who are Mary Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur and Signd by the Clerk
The Matter Reſpecting Elizabeth Congdon is again Referd
The Comtee that was Appointed to Viſit Elizabeth Woodard infourmd
this Meeting they had Viſited her and She deſires Friends to wait with
her Whereupon it is continued under the care of the Same Comtee as befor
The Comtee that was Appointed to prepare a Certificate for Sarah Robinson
hath preſented it to this Meeting Which was Approvd and Signd by the Clerk
Avis Knowles, Mary Knowles, Alice Congdon, and Lucianna Knowles
are Appointed Overſeers
This Meeting concludes and propoſes the Uſual time at this place

At a Monthly Meeting of Friends held at So Kingſton 29 of 8 Mo 1796
the Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Repreſentatives for
So Kingſton are Sarah Hazard and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton
Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Rathbun all preſent
One of the Repreſentatives inform this Meeting that they Attended
the Quarterly Meeting and had brought the Epiſtles
The Matter Reſpecting Elizabeth Congdon is again Refer as before
The matter Reſpecting Elizabeth Woodard is continued to the 11th Mo
under the Care of the same Comtee
We received an Epiſtle from the Yearly Meeting held of Newport on
Rhode Iſland from the 10th of the 6 Mo to the 13th of the Same 1796
We are hereby informed that the Yearly Meeting has adopted
that in future we only anſwer the firſt Second and twelfth
Queries except at the Monthly Meeting preceding the
Spring Quarter, When they are all to be anſwered but they are
all to be Read as heretofore.
Alſo a tranſcript from the yearly Meeting of Women Friends
held in New York from the 23 of the 5 Mo to the 28 of the Same
incluſive, 1796. Which Was Read to our Satiſfaction
This Meeting concludes and propoſes to meet again uſual time
at Hopkintown

At a Monthly Meeting held at Hopkintown the 26 of 9 Mo 1796
the Several Preparative Meetings being called the Repreſentatives
for So Kingſton are Mary Knowles and Sarah Hoxſie

For Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Mary Collins all present
The Queries were Read and Answers agreed on in this Meeting and an
account Was draw to be Sent to the Quarterly Meeting By our Repre
sentatives Who are Sarah Hazard and Thankful Collins and
Signd by the Clerk

The matter Respecting Elizabeth Congdon is again Referd

One of the Overseers informd this Meeting they met and Consi
Such matters as came before them

Sarah Wilbur is Appointed Clerk for the year Insuing or
untill another be Appointed in her Room

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again the Usual
time at this place

At A Sokingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton the 31
of the 10 Month 1796 The Several Preparative Meetings being Called
Their Representatives therein Named are for SoKingston Hannah
Perry and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Browning and Mary
Kinyon Who being Called are all Present

The Representatives Appointed to attend the Last Quarterly Meeting Report
they all Attended According to Appointment

The Matter Respecting Elisabeth Congdon is Referd as before

We Received an Epistle From the Yearly Meeting of Women Friends in
Philadelphia bering date 9th Mo 1795 Which was Red to our Satisfaction
and Comfort

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting Informs that Cynthia Collins Wife of
Nathan Collins is about to Remove Within the Verge of Hudson Monthly
Meeting and Desires a Certificate Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Mary
Wilbur and Dorcas Weever to Make the Necessary Enquiry and if Nothing appear
to Obstruct to draft an Essay of one and Present to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting Appoints Sarah Hoxsie Alice Knowles Sarah Hazard Dorcas
Weever Sarah Browning and Alice Congdon to Join the Mens Committee to
Consider What way Would be Best to take With Respect to the Education
of Children and Make Report When Redy

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again the Usual time at
this place

At SoKingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends Held at Hopkinton
the 28th day of the 11 Month 1796 The Several Preparative Meetings being
Called Their Representatives therein Named are for SoKingston Sarah
Hoxsie and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Bathsheba Collins
Who being Called are all Present Except Alice Congdon Who Sent a Satisfactory Excu

The Matter Reſpecting Elizabeth Congdon is Referd as before

The Comtee Appointed to Make the Neceſsary Enquiry Enquiry reſpecting Cyntha Collins having a Removal Certificate to Hudſon Monthly meeti Report they find Nothing to hinder and have Preſented an Eſsay of one Which being Red is Excepted and Signd by the Clerk Who is directed to the co And forward the Same to Said Monthly meeting ✗ said Certificate is recorded in

age 157 The Comtee Appointed to Join the Mens Comtee Withe Regard to the Education of Children inform they have attended to that Service Which Report Was Red With the addition of the Mens meeting in this Meeting and United With — — — — — —

So Kingston Preparative meeting Informs That Alice Healy wife of Christopher Healy with her Huſband is About to Remove Within the Verge of Greenwich Monthly meeting And Requeſts our Certificate Whereupon this Meeting Appoints Mary Wilbur and Dorcas Weever to Make the Neceſsary and if they find nothing to hinder to draw an Eſsay of one and preſent to our next Monthly meeting

This Meeting Concludes and propoſes to Meet again in Richmond —

At a Monthly meeting held at Richmond the 26th of the 12th 1796

The Several Preparative Meetings being Called the Repreſentatives for So Kingston are Sarah Hoxsee and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Dorcas Weever and Mary Wilbur Who being Called are all preſent —

The Queries were Red in this Meeting and Anſwers thereto Agreed on and Are to be Sent up to the Next Quarterly Meeting With the Account by our Repreſentative Who is Sary Wilbur — — —

The Matter Reſpecting Elizabeth Congdon is Referd as before

The Matter Reſpecting Alice Healy having a Certificatee is Referd under the Care of the Same Comtee to our Next Meeting - - - -

One of the Overſeers Inform this Meeting that they Met and Conſidered Such Matters as Came before them - - -

This Meeting Concludes and Propoſes to Meet again at this Place —

At A monthly meeting held at Richmond the 30th day of 1 Month 1797

The Several preparative Meetings being Called the Repreſentatives for So Kingston are Suſanna Knowles and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Rathbun and Thankful Collins all Preſent -

The Matter Reſpecting Elizabeth Congdon Coming before this Meeting Whereupon a Comtee is appointed Who is to take the Matter into Conſideration and after they have Made Sufficient inſpection to Report to our Next Meeting their ſence how it ſhall be diſpoſed of Who is Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie

The Matter Respecting Alice Healy having a Certificate is Refered as before

The Friend that Was Appointed to attend the Quarterly-meeting Made no report

Hopkinton Preparative meeting Informs that Hezekiah Collins Requests the Care of Friends for his Daughter Bashaba She being in a State of Infancy With the unity of our Brethern is Considered under our Care

This Meeting Concludes and Proposes to Meet again at this place At the Usual time

Sent the folowing Certificate to Hudson

From South Kingston Monthly-meeting of Women held at Hopkinton State of Rhode Island the 28 day of the 11 Month 1796

To the Monthly-meeting of Women at Hudson

Dear Friends in Love we Salute You and Inform that Cyntha Collins Wife of Nathan Collins Requested a Removal Certificate to Your Meeting, Therefore these May Certify on her behalf that She is A Member of This Monthly-Meeting, as Such we Recommend her to your Christian Care and over sight With desires for her Growth and Preservation in the truth — So we Conclude and Remain Your Friends and Sisters Signed in and by direction of Said Meeting by

Sarah Wilbur Clerk

this Certificate was granted the 28 of 11 Mo 1796

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the 27th of 2 Month 1797 The Several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives are for So Kingston [illegible] Friends and Hannah Perry for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur Who being Called are all Present, the Committee appointed to Visit Elisabeth Congdon Not Being Ready to Report that Matter is Refered to our next Meeting under their Care, the Friend that was appointed to attend the Last Quarterly Meeting Report, She attended Agreeable to appointment

A Certificate for Christopher Healy and Wife was presented to this Meeting Red approved and Signed by the Clerk,

This Meeting Received the Certificate that Sarah Robinson had to Rhode Island Monthly meeting She Returned back to this Meeting before it was Presented to Said Meeting, This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at this place

At South Kingston Monthly meeting held at Richmond the 27 day of the 3 Month 1797

The several Preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Alice Knowles and Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Catharine Kinyon and Hannah Sheffield — None Present but Alice Knowles, Alice Congdon informs the Storm Prevent her Attending — The Queries Were Read in this Meeting And Answers thereto agreed on, and Are to be sent up to the Next Quarterly Meeting With the Account (Which being drawn up were approved and signed by the Clerk) by our Representatives who are Elizabeth Collins and Sarah Hoxsie the Committee that was appointed to visit Elizabeth Congdon Reports as follows

So Kingston 24 of 3 Month 1797

We have visited Elizabeth Congdon and she does not appear in a Disposition to Make Friends Satisfaction for her out goings but had Rather be Disjoined From Society. to the Monthly meeting to be held at Richmond the 27 day of 3 Mo 1797

Sarah Hoxsie

and on Account of the Smallness of the Meeting Sarah Hoxsie and it is referred to our next Meeting. This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at this place — — — — —

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond the [illegible] day of the 5 Mo 1797 — — The Several Preparative Meeting being Called their Representatives therein are Named are, for So Kingston Sarah Hoxsie and Mary Peckham for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Martha Kinyon Who being Called are all present Except Mary Peckham Who this Meeting is informed is unwell Catharine Kinyon and hannah Sheffield Give Satisfactory Reasons for their not Attending our Last Monthly meeting agreeable to appointment this meeting is informed that the Representative attended the Last Quarterly Meeting According to Appointment, the Matter respecting Elizabeth Congdon Coming before this Meeting Whereupon we disown her from being a Member of our Religious Society Until she shall Make Satisfaction for her Transgressions having the unity of the Mens Meeting therein —

Hopkinton preparative Meeting Informs that Elizabeth Healy has Remove Within the Verge of Providence Monthly meeting and Requests our Certificate Whereupon this Meeting appoints Mary Wilbur and Martha Kinyon, to Make the Necessary Enquiry and if they find nothing to hinder to draft an Essay of one and present it to our next Monthly meeting The overseers Report they Met Last Month agreeable to appointment This Meeting Concludes and proposes to meet again at So Kingston

At a Monthly of Friends held at So Kingston the 29 day of the 6 Month 1797 — — The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives therein Named are for said town Mary Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie for hopkinton Sarah Rathbun and Martha Collins Who being Called are all present —

The Comtee appointed to Make the Necessary Enquiry Respecting Elizabeth Seely having a Removal Certificate to Providence Monthly Meeting Report they have Made Enquiry and find Nothing to obstruct, and have drafted an Essay of one as directed Which being Red With some alteration is Approved and Signd by the Clerk, Who is directed to Record and forward the Same to that Monthly Meeting —— Hudson Monthly Meeting Returned a Certificate to this Meeting, Which we sent them in favor of Cynthia Collins, by Reason it was not Signd by the Clerk of the Mens meeting And there now being a Certificate presented to this Meeting for her and her Husband Which being Red is approved and Signd by the Clerks Which the Mens Meeting is to forward to Hudson Monthly Meeting This Meeting concludes and proposes Meeting again at this place —— —

At a Monthly meeting of Women Friends Held at So Kingston the 2d day of the 6 Month 1797 — The Several preparative Meetings being called their Representatives are for So Kingston Hannah Perry And Alice Congdon for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Catharine Kenyon all present —— This Meeting Appoints Mary Wilbur Hannah Perry Alice Knowles Alice Congdon Sarah Hazard Mary Knowles Sarah Rathbon Sarah Browning Dorcas Weever are appointed to the place of Overseers for the year Ensuing

This Meeting Received a Certificate that was in favor of Sarah Knowles to Richmond Monthly Meeting it not being presented to that Meeting before She Returned to this Meeting again, A few lines Was drawn up in this Meeting in favor of Jobe Scotts two daughters to Rhode-Island Mo meeting Namely Sarah and Mary, they being in a State of infancy Which Was approved and Signed by the Clerk, Who is directed to Record and forward the Same to Said Monthly Meeting This Meeting concludes and proposes to Meet again at So Kingston New Meeting house —— —— —— —— • -

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston the 31th Day of the 7th Mo 1797 the Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Sarah Hazard & Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Rathbun & Dorcas Weaver Who being Called are all preasant except Sarah Rathbun Who sent a satisfactory reason for her not attending The Queries Were Read and answers thereto agreed on and one to be sent up to the Next Quarterly Meeting With the account by our Representatives Who are Hannah Perry & Sarah Hazard ——

The Comtee appointed some time past to treat With Susanna Mory for her Marrying out of the Unity of friends Report as follows " According to appointment We have had an other opertunity With Susannah Mory and according to our since

"Considering Every Circumstance We think Well of her being rest-
"to friends again all Which We Submit to the Mo Meeting of friends
"to be held at So Kingston the 31st of 7th Mo 1797 Avis Knowles
Sarah Hoxsie

Likewise said Susannah Mory sent a few Lines to this Meeting Conde-
=mning her aforesaid transgretion Which is as follows

" Quidnesset the 7th Mo 12th Day 1797

"Dear friends haveing Transgrest the Rules of truth and Your
"Discipline by Marrying one Who is not a Member among friends and
" not keeping myself Chast before Marriage for Which I am Sorry
"and desire friends to pass it by and Continue their Watchful
"Care over Me hopeing to be more Carefull in future
Susanna Mory

Whereupon this Meeting Restores her to Membership With friends haveing the Unity of the Mens Meeting therein and Sarah Wilbor is appointed to Read said paper at the End of a first day Meeting Where She belongs ——

This Meeting Was informed that the overseers Met agreeable to appointment This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at this place ——

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston the 28th of 8th Mo 1797 The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Sarah Hoxsie & Mary Knowles for Hopkinton Thankful Collins & Mary Collins Who being Called are all preasant

The Representatives informed this Meeting they attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment ——

The friend that Was appointed to read the Condemnation of Susannah Mory informed she has performed that Service ——

So Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Knowles Daughter of Robert is about to Remove to Richmond Mo Meeting and Requests our Certificate Whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah Hoxsie & Mary Knowles to Make the Necessary inquiry and if they find Nothing to hinder to Draw an Essay of one and present it to our Next Mo Meeting ——

This Meeting Received Transcripts of Epistles one from London bareing No Date one from philidelphia dated the 26th of 9th Mo 1796 one from Newyork dated the 29th of 5th Mo 1796 all Which Was Read to our Satisfaction

This Meeting Concludes and proposes Meeting Next at Hopkinton

At a So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton the 25th of 9th Mo 1797 The Several preparative Meetings being Called their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Sarah Hoxsie & Susannah Knowles for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Bathsheba Collins Who being Called are all preasant

The Queries Were read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on and are to be sent up to the Next Quarterly Meeting With the account by our Representatives Who are Sarah Willbur & Sarah Hoxsie

This Meeting is informed that the overseers met and Considered such business as appeard Necessary ——

The Comtee appointed to Make the Necessary inquery Respecting Sarah Knowles haveing a Removal Certificate to Richmond Mo. Meeting Report they have Made Inquiry and Dont find anything to hinder and have presented an Essay of a Certificate as Direct Which being read is approved and signd by the Clerk Which is to be Recorded and forwarded to said Meeting ——

Sarah Willbur informd this Meeting that the Year Was up for Which she Was appointed Clerk Whereupon this Meeting reappoints said Sarah Willbur Clerk for the Year Ensuing ——

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet at the Usual time at this place ——

At a S. Kingston Mo. Meeting held at Hopkinton 30th of 10th Mo. 1797 The preparative Meeting being Called their Representatives therein Named are for S. Kingston Elizabeth Hinds for Hopkinton Katherine Kinyon & Thankful Co[illegible] all present

One of the Representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting Report they attended according to appointment

We Received an Epistle from our Yearly Meeting held at Newport in 6th Mo. 1797 Which Was read to our Satisfaction and Comfort ——

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Robinson is about to Remove Within the verge of Rhode Island Mo. Meeting and Requests our Certificate Whereupon this Meeting appoints Bathshaba Collins and Mary Wilbur to Make the Necessary Inquiry and if they find Nothing to hinder to Draw an Essay of one and present to our Next Meeting [illegible]

this Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at this place

At a S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of friends held at Hopkinton 27th of the 11th Mo. 1797 the preparative Meetings being Called the Representatives therein Named are for S. Kingston Sarah Hoxsie & Lois Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Collins & Hannah Collins all present ——

The Comtee appointed to prepare a Certificate for Sarah Robinson not being Ready to Report therefore that Matter is Referd to our Next Meeting ——

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Mary Kinyon Wife of Thomas Kinyon is about to Remove With her husband to Brookfield Within the verge of Hudson Mo. Meeting and State of Newyork and Requests our Certificate Whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah Wilbur & Bathshaba Collins to Make the Necessary Inquiry and if they find Nothing to hinder to Draw an Essay of one and present to our Next Monthly Meeting this Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet Next at Richmond

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmo
the 1 day of the 1 Mo. 1798 Accounts from the Several Preparative Meetings
Being Presented the Representatives therein Named are For So Kingston
Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Temperance Bragg and
Sarah Wilbur Who being Called are all present

The Queries Were Read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and are
to be sent up to the Next Quarterly Meeting ~~by our~~ With the Account by
our Representatives Who are Sarah Hoxsie and Mercy Peckham

The Comttee Appointed to Make Enquiry Respecting Sarah Robinson having
A Removal Certificate to Rhode Island Report they have Made the Necessary
Enquiry and find Nothing to obstruct and they have Presented an Essay of
one as directed Which being Read is approved and Signed by the Clerk and to
be forwarded to Said Meeting

One of the Comttee that was appointed to Make the Enquiry Respecting Mary
Kinyon having a Removal Certificate to Hudson Monthly Meeting report
that they find Nothing to Hinder her from having one and they have presented
an Essay of one as directed Which being Read is approved and Signed by
the Clerk and to be forward to Said Monthly Meeting

South Kingston Preparative Meeting Informs that there are Several Members
Removed to the Unadilla Country without Certificates Whereupon this
Meeting Refers the Said Matter to our Next Monthly meeting

Part of the Overseers Report that they Met and Considered Such Business
~~Such~~ as Came Before them

This Meeting Concludes and Proposes to Meet Next at Richmond

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women held at Richmond the
24 day of the 1 Mo 1798 Accounts from the Several Preparative being presen
ted their Representatives therein Named are For South Kingston Alice Reth
and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Sarah Rathbun all present

one of the Representatives that was appointed to Attend our Last Quarterly
Meeting Report they Attended agreeable to appointment

The Matter respecting those Friends that have removed to the Unadilla
Coming Before this Meeting Whereupon we appoint Avis Knowles and Sarah
Hoxsie to Join the Mens Comttee to Consider Said Matter and draw Certifi
cates if it appears best

Reced an Indorsment on a Certificate for Christopher Healy Wife
and two Children from Greenwich Monthly Meeting Which was Read and
Approved — — This Meeting Concludes to Meet again At Richmond
if Permitted

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond
the 26 day of 2 Month 1798 the Accounts from the several Preparative
Meetings being presented their Representatives therein Named are

for South Kingston Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Hannah Sheffield & None Present Except Thankful Collins this Meeting is Informed that the difficulty of Riding is the Reason of Hannah Sheffield not attending Mercy Peckham Sent a Satisfactory for her Not attending

one of the Committee appointed to prepare Certificates &c for Friends that have Removed Without Inform that they were not all Redy to Report Whereupon that Matter is referd to our Next Meeting and then to be Reported

Received a Copy of a Minute from the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at Hudson Respecting Hannah Gardner Who Inform they have Visited her to a good degree of Satisfaction agreeable to our request and they think Well of her Acknowledgment being Received Which is Received Accordingly and directed to be Recorded having the Unity of the Mens Meeting therein and Sarah Wilber is appointed to draft an Essay of Certificate for her and present to our Next Meeting

Ransillerville the 10 of the 2nd Month 1797

Beloved Friends these May Inform You that I yet Desire You to pass by My Misconduct and Restore Me to Member Ship again I Shall be Glad to have a Certificate Sent to Hudson and Quemans Monthly Meeting for Me From Your Friend and Well wisher

Hannah Gardner

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at Richmond if permitted

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 26 day of 3 Month 1798 The Accounts from the Several Preparative Meetings being Presented Their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Elizabeth Sims and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Mary Wilbur and Mary Collins all Present

The Queries Was Red in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and Are to be Sent up with the Account to our Next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives Who are Hannah Perry Alice Knowles and Alice Peckham an account was drawn up and Signd by the Clerk and is to be Sent up to the Quarterly Meeting as Above

Sarah Wilber has Presented an Essay of a Certificate for Hannah Gardner as Directed Which was Red approved and Signd by the Clerk Which is to be forwarded to Said Monthly Meeting

The Committee that was Appointed to prepare Certificates for those that have Removed to the Unadilla Country presented Essays one for John Mary and Hannah Rogers Children of Thomas Rogers one for Samuel Dye his Wife Anna Dye and their Children Namely Daniel Elisabeth George and Deborah one for Richard Dye and Wife Zeruiah Dye and their Children Namely Stephen

Richard Thankful Ruſsel and Eliſabeth Which was Red approved and Signed by the Clerk — and Likewiſe preſented a Letter to Send to Hudſon Monthly Meeting Requeſting them to treat with Eliſabeth and Amy Rogers Now Darrow and York for Marrying out of the Unity of Friends Which was Red Approved and Sign.d by the Clerk

The overſeers report they Met Agreeable to Appointment and Conſidered Such Buſineſs as Came before them This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at the Uſual time at this Place

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends Held at Richmond the 30 of 4 Mo 1798, The Account from the Several Preparative Meetings Being presented Their Repreſentatives therein Named are for So Kingston Sarah Hazard & Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Browing and Sarah Rathbon Who being Called Are All Preſent — —

The Repreſentatives Ap. inform this Meeting they all Attended the Last Quarterly Meeting Agreeable to appointment. —

This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at So Kingston Upper Meeting House

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends Held at So Kingston the 28 day of 5 Mo 1798 The Accounts from the Several Preparative Meetings Being Presented Their Repreſentatives therein Named are for So Kingston Mercy Peckham and Susanna Knowles for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Rathbon all Preſent Mercy Peckham and Dorcas Weaver Who this Meeting is Informed that Sickneſs Prevented their Attending this Meeting. This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet again at this Place

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends Held in Said Town the 25 of 6th Month 1798, The Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings Being Preſented Their Repreſentatives therein Named are for So Kingston Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Dorcas Weaver all Preſent.

The Appointment of Overſeers Coming Before this Meeting Whereupon We appoint Sarah Browning Sarah Hazard Sarah Miller Alice Knowles Dorcas Weaver Mercy Peckham Deborah Rodman Sarah Hoxsie Overſeers for the Year Enſuing.

This Meeting Concludes and Proposes to Meet next at the New Meeting house in So Kingston.

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 30 of 7 Mo 1798, The Account from the Several preparative Meetings Being Preſented their Repreſentatives therein Named are for Said Town Deborah Rodman and Hannah Perry for Hopkinton [illegible] Kenyon and Temperance Bragg Who being Called all preſent —

The Queries was red in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and are to Be sent up to the Next Quarterly Meeting with the account By our Representatives Who Sarah Wilbur Hazard Deborah Rodman & Temperance Bragg. So Kingston Preparative Meeting Inform that Elisabeth Reynolds Daughter of John Reynolds is a keeping Company With one Not of our Society and otherwise Walks Disorderly Whereupon We appoint Sarah Wilbur and Hannah Perry to treat With her for aforesaid Transgressions and Report to our Next Monthly Meeting. this Meeting Was Informed that the overseers Met as Usial and Considerd Such Business as Came Before them. This Meeting Concludes and proposes to Meet next at this place

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At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston the 27 of 8th Mo 1798 The Accompts from the Several Preparative Meetings Being Presented Their Representative are for So Kingston Mercy Knowles and Deborah Rodman, for Hopkinton Bathsha Collins and Sarah Wilbur Who Being Called are all Present,

The Representatives inform this Meeting They all attended the Last Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment,

The Comtee Appointed to treat With Elisabeth Reynolds Report They have performed that Service and inform that She appears of no disposition to desist from proceeding therein Whereupon the Matter is Referd to our Next Monthly Meeting

Our Friend Mahetable Jenkins attended this Meeting With a Certificate from the Monthly Meeting of Dover Expressive of their Unity and Sympathy with her in paying a Religious Visit to friends in this Quarter and Several other parts She Being a Minister in Good Esteem, Sarah Cartland also attended this Meeting and produced a Copy of a Minute from the Same Mo Meeting Expressive of their Unity in Accompanying our Friend Mehable Jenkins on her Religious Visit She Being a Member in Good Esteem Whose Company have Been to our Satisfaction and Comfort

Received Epistles from Yearly Meetings of Rhode Island 1798 and Epistles from philadelphia and Newyork all Which was Red to our Satisfaction and Comfort. This Meeting Concludes and Proposes to Meet Next at Hopkinton

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At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton the 1 of 10th Month 1798 the Accompts from the Several preparative Meetings Being present the Representatives thereto Named are for So Kingston Elisabeth Sims and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Sarah Rathbun and Mary Wilbur Who being Called are all present The Matter Respecting Elisabeth Reynolds is Refered as Before Sarah Wilbur informed this Meeting that the Year was up for Which She was

Whereupon She is Reappointed for the year Ensuing

The Queries Were read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on And are to Be sent to our Next Quarterly Meeting By our Representatives Who are Sarah Wilbur Bathsheba Collins and Catharine Thurston, Also an account to said Meeting Was drawn up and signed By the Clerk forwarded By the Representatives.

One of the Overseers inform this Meeting that Most of them Met as usual and Considered such Business as Came Before them

This Meeting Concludes and proposes meeting Next at this place

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At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton the 29th Day of the 10th Mo 1798 the accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Alice Peckham and Elizabeth Kimber for Hopkinton Thankful Collins & Mary Wilbur all preasent

Two of the Representative inform this Meeting they attended the Last Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment and the other Friend Gave a Satisfactory Reason for her not attending

This Meeting Receive an Extract from the Quarterly Meetings Minutes Which is as follows

"The Manner of our Collecting a Summery from
"the answers having Come Under the Solid Consideration
"of this Meeting it is Recommended in future the
"Representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting
"Meet at the 9th hour on fifth Day at the place of holding
"Sd Meeting and prepare a Summery and present to the
"first Setting of the Meeting for business and the Clerk is
"Directed to furnish Each Mo Meeting With a Coppy of this
"Minute

"A Coppy Extracted from the Minutes of a Quarterly
"Meeting held at Smithfield the the 10 of the 10th Mo 1798

By Elizabeth Arnold Clerk

South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Marry Hazard Wife of Caleb Hazard is about to Remove to Saratoga and Requests a Certificate Whereupon We appoint Elizabeth Kimber & Sarah Hoxsie to take the Necessary Care and if they find Nothing to hender to Draw an Essay of one and present to our Next Meeting

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Mehetabel Collins and her Daughter Ruth Main are Removed Within the Verge of Hudson Mo Meeting Without Certificates Whereupon We appoint Mary Wilbur & Sarah Wilbur to take the necessary Care and if they find Nothing to hinder to Draw an Essay of one and present to our Next Mo Meeting

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton the 26th of 11th Mo 1798 the accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented their Representatives are for So Kingston Sarah Hoxsie & Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Hannah Sheffield & Mary Wilber Who being Called are all preasant

The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Reynolds is Refered [illegible] as before

The Comtee appointed to take the Necessary Care Respecting Mary Hazard haveing a Removal Certificate to Easton Mo Meeting have prepaired Essay of one Which Was read approved and Signed by the Clerks of both Meetings

The Comtee appointed to prepare Certificates for Mehetabel Collins & Ruth Main to Hudson Mo Meeting have presented Essay Which was read approved and Signed by the Clerks of both Meetings and the Clerk is Directed to forward the Same to the above said Meetings

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmon the 31th of 12th Mo 1798 the accounts from the preparative Meetings being presented their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Deborah Rodman & Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Ruth Foster & Dorcas Weaver all preasant

The Queries Were read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on and are to be Sent With the account to our Next Quarterly Meeting By our Representative Who are Sarah Hoxsie & Sarah Wilber

The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Reynolds is Refered as before

The preparative Meeting Meeting of Hopkinton Informs that Jabez Wing of Smithfield propses to Lay his intentions of Marriage With Marry Wilber before this Meeting and he haveing produced a few lines from sd Smithfield Mo Meeting Signifying that he is a Member of their Mo Meeting and Clear of Marriage Engagemen[illegible] With them and that he Intended Marriage With Marry Wilber a Member of our Meeting Whereupon they appeard in this Meeting and Declared their intentions of takeing Each other in Marriage Which this Meeting takes Notice of and Desires them to Wait till Next Mo Meeting for an answer and Dorcas Weaver & Ruth foster is appointed to Make the Necessary Inquiry into Marry Wilbers Conversation and Clearness Respecting Marriage Engagements and Report to our Next Meeting

One of the overseers informd this Meeting that they Met and Considered such business as Came before them

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond the 28th of first Mon 1799 the accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented their Representatives therein Named are for So Kingston Elizabeth Sims & Sarah ~~[illegible]~~ Hazard for Hopkinton Ruth Foster & Bathsheba Collins Who being called are all present The Representatives appointed to attend the Last Quarterly Meeting Report they all attended accordingly
The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Reynolds is referd as before

The Comtee appointed to Make inquiry in to Mary Wilbors Conversation and Clearness Respecting Marriage Engagements report they have Made Enquiry and dont find any thing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage With Yaley Wing and they both appeard in this Meeting and signified they Were of the ~~[illegible]~~ mind they Were Last Meeting and as there is Nothing appears to obstruct they are at Liberty to proceed in Marriage With keeping to the Good order Established among Friends & Hannah Perry & Sarah Hoxsie is appointed to attend the Solemnization of their sd Marriage and Report to our Next Meeting

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 25th Day of the 2nd Mo 1799 the accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented their Representatives are for So Kingston Mercy Peckham & Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Sarah Rathbun & Temperance Bragg all present
The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Reynolds is Refered as before
The Comtee appointed to see the Marriage of Yaley Wing and Mary Wilbor Solemnized reports it Was Conducted orderly
Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Mary Wing Requests that Marry Wing Requests a Removal Certificate to Smithfield Mo Meeting Whereupon We appoint Dorcas Weaver & Thankful Collins to Make the Necessary Inquiry and if they find Nothing to hinder to Draw an Essay of one and present to our Next Mo Meeting

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 4th of 3th Mo 1799 the accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented their Representatives are for So Kingston Alice Peckham & Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Hannah Sheffield Who being called are all present — — — the Queries Were read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on in order to be sent to the next Quarterly Meeting With the account by our representatives who are Hannah Rathbun & Alice Peckham — — — —
The Matter respecting Elizabeth Reynolds is refered as before — — —

The Comtee appointed to Make the Necessary Inquiry respecting Mary Wing having a removal Certificate to Smithfield Report they have made Inquiry and dont find any thing to hinder and have presented an Essay of one as ~~Directed~~ Which being read is approved Which the Clerk is Directed to sign and forward to said Meeting - - - -

Received a Certificate from Providence Mo Meeting in favour of Sarah Davis Daughter of Moses Davis Which being read is accepted and is to be recorded - - - -

Our beloved friend Abigail Robinson attended this Meeting With a Coppy of ~~a~~ Minute from Rhode Island Monthly Meeting expressive of a Concern to pay a Religious Visit to the families of friends in this Mo Meeting Which We feelingly Unite With

At the Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond the 29th of 4th Mo 1779 the accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives are for Kingston Elizabeth Simber & Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Thankful Collins & Martha Davis Who being Called are all present - - -

The representatives informed this Meeting they attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment and Delivered the accounts With the answers and had to return an Extract from the Quarterly Meetings Minutes it being the report of the Comtee Which was appointed to take into Consideration the Dividing of the Quarterly Meeting Which was read and is as follows

the Comtee appointed at our last Quarterly Meeting on account on account of the proposial of Dividing the Quarterly Meeting report that they have had a Satisfactory Conference on the subject and that it is their opinion that it Will be best to refer the Matter to our Next Quarter that it may be further Consider and Digested Which this and the others Meeting approves of and the Clerk is Directed to furnish Each Monthly Meeting With a Coppy of this minute a Coppy ~~of the~~ Extracted from the Minutes of a Quarterly Meeting held at East Greenwich the 11th & 12th of the 2d Mo 1779

By Lydia Wiker Clerk

The Matter Respecting Elizabeth Reynolds Coming before this Meeting We was informed that She is Married out of the Unity of friends therefore she is put from under our Care Untill She shall return and Make friends Satisfaction for her aforesaid transgretion & Hannah Perry and Mercy Peckham are appointed to Draw a testimony of Denial and present to our Next Meeting — — —

South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Jona Dye daughter of John Dye has transgrest friends rules by attending Meetings of other Societies and Neglects attending our Meetings and has Lately attended a Marriage out of the Unity of friends Alis Knowles & Mary [illegible] are appointed to visit her and Report to our Next Monthly Meeting — —

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston the 2d of 6 mo 1797 the accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented their representatives are for So Kingston Sarah Hoxsie & Alice Peckham for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins & Dorcas Weaver Who being Called are all present — The Comttee appointed to Draw a testimony of Denial against Elizabeth Reynolds Now Elizabeth Stanton have presented one accordingly Which was read approved and Signed by the Clerk and Mercy Peckham is appointed to read the same at the End of a first day Meeting Where She belongs and Make report to our Next Meeting — —

The Comttee appointed to treat With Jona Dye report they have performed that Service and She appears of no Disposition to Make Satisfaction for her aforesaid Transgretion Whereupon We Disown her from having any Longer a right in our Society Untill She Shall return and make friends Satisfaction for her said Transgretion Alis Knowles & Sarah Hoxsie are appointed to Draw up a testimony of Denial against her and present to our Next Monthly Meeting — — —

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting held at So Kingston the first Day of the 7th Mo 1797 the account from the Several preparative Meetings being presented their Representatives are for So Town Hannah Perry Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Thankful Collins & Martha Kenyon Who being Called are all present

The Denial of Elizabeth Stanton is returned and read according to appointment Which is to be recorded

Whereas Elizabeth Hunter Daughter of Jonathan Reynolds hath had a right of Membership in our Religious Society but hath of Late transgrest the rules thereof by Marrying out of the unity of Friends with one not of our Society Altho She has been previously Cautioned We therefore Deny her from being any Longer a Member of our Religious Society untill she shall make Satisfaction for her aforesaid transgression

Given forth at our Monthly Meeting of friends held at South Kingston the Twenty Seventh Day of the fifth Month AD 1799

Signed in and by Direction of said Meeting

By Sarah Wilbur Clerk

One of the Comtee that was appointed to Draw a testimony of Denial against Jona Dye report they have not performed that service therefore they are continued to perform that service and report to our Next Meeting

The Matter Respecting appointing overseers Comeing before this Meeting We appoint Mary Knowles Lois Knowles Deborah Rodman Sarah Hazard Hannah Perry Martha Kinyon Sarah Wilbur and Bathsheba Collins overseers for the year Ensueing

At a Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston the 29th of 7th Mo 1799 The accounts from the several preparative Meetings being Called the Representatives therein Named for So Kingston Deborah Rodman Alice Peckham for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins & Sarah Wilber Who being Called are all preasant Except Bathsheba Collins Who the Meeting is informed was prevented by Indisposition of Body

The Comtee appointed to Draught an Essay of a Testimony of Denial against Jona Dye have Draughted one and presented it Which being read With some alteration is approved & signed by the Clerk & Avis Knowles is appointed at the End of a firstday Meeting at Richmond and return it to our Next Monthly Meeting

The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on and are to be sent up to our Next Quarterly Meeting with the account by our Representatives Who are Deborah Rodman and Alice Peckham

This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual and conferred such business as Came before them

y, bu an attempt is making to conciliate th
oft money men by making Bright, of Tennesse
chairman.

Tarbox Explains.

Mr. Tarbox says he came by the copy of M
Blaine's speech in a perfectly legitimate manne
it having been mailed to him without any restri
tions as to its use.

A New Rule Required.

Senators are taking steps looking to the ado
tion of a rule that shall relieve them from the te
rible annoyance of being called out constantly du
ing the session by visitors. The pressure has b
come so great as to interfere with Senators a
tending to business.

Graphic and Telegraphic.

Walsh & Field, ship chandlers, are reported su
pended; liabilities, $30,000.

A section of the Wiscasset, Me., toll bridge w
carried away by the ice, Friday night.

The American residents of Naples are organi
ing to celebrate Washington's birthday.

R. & J. White, lumber dealers, of Pembrok
Ont., have suspended; liabilities, $75,000.

In Dr. Form's forgery case, Judge Ramsay,
Montreal, Saturday, decided that the prisoner
handed over to the American authorities.

At Belvidere, N. J., Saturday, Patrick Ward w
convicted of murder in the first degree for killi
Peter Meirs.

The convention of ticket agents at Louisvi
adjourned Saturday, after adopting last yea
schedule of rates.

A resolution requesting Congress to repeal t
specie resumption act passed the Kansas Hou
Saturday—42 to 40.

D. B. Genn, of Bucksport, Me., was instan
killed on Friday by a log rolling on him in the C
roll, Me., lumber region.

At Philadelphia, Saturday, George W. Fletch
was convicted of the murder of William Hani
and sentenced to be hung.

George W. Fletcher, of Philadelphia, convict
of the murder of William Hawley, was Saturd
morning sentenced to be hung.

United States District Attorney Bangs deni
that Charles H. Reed, prosecuting attorney
Cook County, Ill., has been indicted.

Daniel Casey, a Sudbury school teacher, is u
der arrest for beating a little daughter of Jose
De Parder so that she is likely to die.

Father Adams, a Brooklyn clergyman, jump
from a ferry-boat, Friday night, into the E
river, and rescued a young woman from drowni

Widow Driscoll died at her residence, 13 Sal
street, South Lawrence, Mass., on Saturday, at t
age of 105 years. She was the oldest person in t
city.

The mild weather has opened the Hudson fr
Poughkeepsie to New York, with the exception
a slight blockade between Cold Spring and W
Point.

Gen. G. J. Pillow has petitioned to enter i
bankruptcy, one reason set forth being that he
held personally responsible for acts as Major Ge
ral in the war.

The Bible war at Union Hill, New Jersey, term
nated Friday night, the board, by a vote of f
to four, ordering the reading of the Scriptures
be continued in the schools.

A letter from Nassau, N. P., states that Fra
E. Smith was hanged there on the 4th inst. for
murder of John C. Avery, mate of brig Fl
ence.

A letter from Syracuse says there are gr
doubts now as to the guilt of Lindsay, who
hanged Friday, and the prison officials all
lieve in his innocence.

In the United States District Court, Satur
the argument over the proposition to have
bankruptcy proceedings in the case of Dun
Sherman & Co. annulled, was continued be
Judge Blatchford.

In Montreal, Thursday, two farriers engaged
ninety-mile trotting race to Sorel and back.
winning horse, owned by Dumonchels, acco
plished the distance between 6 A. M. and 4 P.
His competitor broke down at Sorel, half way.

Eben C. Morrill, an old resident of Coontoco
N. H., became bewildered in the fields Thursd
and laid out all night in the storm. He was fo
badly frozen Friday morning. It is thought
will die from the exposure.

Russia, England and the United States will s

Two hundred and thirty-eight
were reported in 24 Baptist churches
Boston and vicinity in January. Twenty
four were baptized in the First Church i
Charlestown last Sunday and 65 admitted t
membership; 15 were baptized at the Bunke
Hill Church, and 10 at Tremont Temple.

The city of Brooklyn has ordered that th
gas shall be shut off from all lamps in fron
of churches, which hereafter must pay th
expense of such lights.

The Rev. Robert Meredith, of Springfield
has been called by the Temple Street Metho
dist Episcopal Church, Boston, for the thre
years following the convention in April.

THE BROOKLYN SCANDAL.

Action of the Church Last Evening

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—At the adjourned annu
meeting of Plymouth Church, to-night, a dismis
sal was granted to Charles C. Duncan at his re
quest. The clerk then read the report of th
examining committee, detailing the several mee
ings between it and Bowen. When the readi
was concluded, S. V. White offered a resolu
which, after several amendments, was adopted a
follows:

Resolved, That the whole matter of insinuatio
or accusations of Henry C. Bowen against the pa
tor of this church be referred back to the exami
ing committee, with instructions to continue t
investigation begun by them, and that they be i
structed to summon said Bowen befo
them, having first given him ten days noti
of the time and place of their mee
ing, and to notify him that he w
be asked to state any and every fact with
his knowledge, tending to support the insinuati
or charges contained in his letter of the 4th in
and to give the names of all witnesses known
him by whom any of the facts within his perso
knowledge may be proved and to submit to su
other and further thorough and rigid examinat
as shall be necessary and proper to elicit the f
est possible investigation.

Mr. Beecher said he was far from feeling in
spirited humor. A controversy between a pas
and member of a church was a very sad thing.
have a quarrel was to him in the nature of a fu
ral service. Mr. Bowen was one of the oldest me
bers of the church, but he must not forget th
Mr. Bowen's threshold was the first he crossed
coming to Brooklyn. He could not think of a
thing more sad than to find a man with whom
had walked arm in arm and with whom he
taken sweet counsel and on whose hospitality
had shared, turned against him.

Mr. Beecher had thus far spoken ve
quietly and sadly, but now he burst fo
in thundering tones throwing into his words all t
vehemence possible to him. He said that if
the last fifteen years or more, Mr. Bowen had b
in possession of these facts and never brou
them before him or before an officer
the church, he was guilty of break
his covenant with the church, and he ought to
expelled. If he, the speaker, was what he was
leged to be, he should have been out of the chur
long ago. He was not guilty and the allegatio
made by Mr. Bowen were false. He would p
nounce them so. He referred sarcastically
the fact that Mr. Bowen had not had time to p
pare to answer the questions, but said that he h
time to charge him with being a criminal, the ba
ness of which the three epithets used by h
could hardly compass. There should be no secre
in the matter if he could help it, and everythi
should be sifted to the very bottom.

Mr. Beecher had now allowed his voice to d
down to one in which were expressed mingl
sadness and reproach, when suddenly bursti
forth with his loudest and most vehement ton
he said: As for myself, I pronounce this allegati
as false and with Almighty God before me and t
Judgment Day, I arraign him as a slanderer and
liar.

Then, as he sat down, was enacted a scene whi
has never but twice before taken place in the P
mouth Church lecture room, the clapping of han
the stamping of feet, and men hollowing plaud
at their pastor, while his wife bowed her head u
her hands, and wept bitterly for some minutes.

The meeting then adjourned at the call of
chair.

The examining committee met immediat
after the adjournment and decided
summon Mr. Bowen to appear before them
the evening of the 23d inst., at the residence of
sistant pastor Halliday, and give proof of
allegations contained in his communication of
4th inst.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women held at So Kingst
the 26 of 8th Mo. 1799 the Several accounts being presented their
Representitives therein Named are So Kingston Sarah Hazard &
Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver & Ruth Foster
all preasant The friend that Was appointed to Read the
Denial of Yona Dye informs it Was read according to
appointment and is as followes — — —

Denial of Yona Dye

"Whereas Yona Dye Daughter of John Dye, hath had a
"Right of Membership in our religeous Society but of Late ha
"transgresst the rules thereof by attending a Marriage out of
"the Unity of friends and by not attending of our Religeous
"Meetings altho Much Labour hath been bestowed for her Recover
"Which hath proved Inaffectual therefore We Deny her Remain
"ing any Longer a Member thereof untill She Shall Return and
"Make Satisfaction for her aforesaid transgression
"Given forth at our Monthly Meeting held at So Kingston the
"29th Day of the 7th Mo. 1799
Signed in and by Direction of our said Meeting
by Sarah Wilbur Clerk

The Representatives informed this Meeting they attended they
attended the Last Quarter agreeable to appointment
— — — —

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton
the 30th of 9th Mo. 1799 the Representatives from the Several pre
parative Meetings are for So Kingston Hannah Perry & Edith
Hoxie for Hopkinton Catherine Kinyon & Lydia Wilbur
Who being Called are all preasant — — —

The Queries Were read in this Meeting and answers from
Hopkinton preparative Meeting are Sent up by our Representa
tives Who are Mercy Peckham & Sarah Wilbur — — — —

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informes that John Congdon
and Sarah Kinyon propose to Lay their intentions of Marri
-age before this Meeting and they both appeared in this
Meeting and Declared their intentions of takeing Each other
in Marriage Which this Meeting takes Notice of and Desires
them to Wait till Next Monthly Meeting for an answer
and Bathsheba Collins & Sarah Wilbur are appointed to
make the Necessary inquiry Respecting the said Sarah
Kinyons and Clearness therein and Report to our Next Meeting

This Meeting Was informed that part of the overseers met and
Considered such matters as Came before them

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends Held at
Hopkinton the 28 of th 10 Mo 1799 accounts from the Several preparative
Meetings being presented their Representatives therein Named are for
Southkingston Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie for hopkinton
Mary Collins and Hannah Collins Who being Called are all
Preasent Except Sarah Hazard who Sent a Satiſfactory
Reason for her not attending one of the representatives appointed
To attend our laſt Quarterly Meeting Report they attended accor
Ding to appointment the Committee appointed to make the
Neceſsary inquiry into Sarah kinyons Conversation and Clearneſs
Respecting Marriage Engagements Report they have made
Inquiry and Dont find any thing to hender her proseeding in
Marriage With John Congdon and they both appeared in this
Meeting and declared they Continued their intention of takeing
Eachother in Marriage and as their is nothing to hinder they
Are at Liberty to proceed in marriage with keeping to the Good
Order Established among friends Sarah wilbur and beershabe Collins
Is appointed to attend the Solemnisation of their Said Marriage
And report to our Next meeting we received an Epistle from the
Yearly Meeting of women in london of 1798 and one from
Philadelphia of 1798 and one from Newyork of 1799 all which
Was Satisfactorily read in this Meeting the Consideration of
Appointing a Clerk Coming before this Meeting Alice
Peckham is appointed for the year insewing also Received an
Extract from ~~our last yearly Meeting~~ the Minutes of our Last
yearly meeting which was Satisfactorily read and the advice of the
Quarterly Meeting being Concurd with we appoint a Committe
To take these Epistles and visit such who by olde age or bodily
Infermaty are prevented from attending our meetings and ~~the~~ read
The Epistles to them who are Dorcas Weaver Sarah Hoxsie Mary
Collins and Avis knowles

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends
Held at hopkinton 25 of the 11 mo 1799 the accounpts from the
Several preparative Meetings being presented the representatives
Therein named are for Southkingston Mercy Peckham
And Deborah Rodman for hopkinton Ruth foster and Sarah
Rathbun all preasent the Committee that was appointed

To attend the Marriage of John Congdon and Sarah kinyon
Report that they attended agreeablee to appointment and think it
Was prety orderly Conducted - - - - - -

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held
at Richmond the 30 of 12th mo 1799 the accounts from the Several
Prepareative Meetings being presented the representatives therein
Named are for Southkingston Deborah Rodman and Avis Knowle
for Hopkintown Hannah Sheffield and Dorcas Weaver who being calle
Are all present the Querys was Read in this Meeting and answe
Thereto agreed on and are to be Sent up ~~by our Representatives~~
To our Next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are
Alice Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie Hopkinton prepa
itive Meeting informs that Sarah Gorton Daughter of John
Gorton Deceased Has transgressed Friends Rules by keeping
Company with one not a Member of our Society and is in
a State of prignency which after being weightily Considered
In this Meeting and having the unity of our men Friends we
Do deny Her from having a Right of Membership in our -
Religious Society until She Shall return and make Friends
Satisfaction for her aforesaid transgressions; Sarah Rathbun
Is appointed to inform her thereof this Meeting is informd
That part of the overseers meet and Considered of Such
Business as Came before them

At Southkingston Monthly meeting Held at Richmond
27 of 1th mo 1800 the accounts from the Several Preparitive mee
tings Being presented the representatives therein named are
For Southkingston Elizabeth Sims and Sarah Hazard for
Hopkinton Ruth Foster and Thankful Collins being -
Called are all present Except Ruth foster this Meeting
Is informd that indisposition in her famaly Prevented her
From attending the Representatives appointed to attend
Our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended
Agreeable to appointment the Friend that was appoin
ted to inform Sarah Gorton that She was put from unde
Friends Care informs She has preformed that Service
Southkingston preparitive Meeting informs that Sarah
Davis Daughter of Moses Davis has transgressed Friends

Rules by keeping Company With one Not a Member
of our Society Whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah
Rathbun and Sarah Wilbur to visit her and Repor
To our Next Monthly Meeting: this Meeting is infor
Md that their has been many Papers or Minutes —
Preserv.d which is Recorded and are know of no use Where
upon this Meeting appoints Deborah Rodman and Sarah
Wilbur to Look them over and Distroy Such as are useless

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting Held at
Richmond 24 of the 2 mo 1800 the Accounts from the
Several Prepatitive Meetings being presented the represent
atives therein named are for Southkingston — Avis knowles
And Alice Peckham for Hopkinton Catharine
Kinyon and Sarah Rathbun being Cal.d are all
Present Except Catharine Kinyon

The Committee that was appointed to visit Sarah —
Davis report that they have attended to their appointmen
And think it is best to be referd until Next month
Therefore it is Referd under their Care one of the
Friends that was appointed to Look over the monthly
Meeting Minutes inform.d the Reson of the her not
Attending to the appointment was by reson of a —
Tegious Storm the other ~~Friend~~ made no report
This Meeting is informd that the business was —
Attended too Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs
That Esther Wilbur Daughder of Woodman Wilbur has
Transgress.d friends Rules by attending a place ~~of~~
Where their was Singing and Danceing and Joind with
Them therein Whereupon this Meeting appoints Hannah
Perry and Avis Knowles to visit her and Report to our
Next Mo.. Meeting

At Southkingston Mo.. Meeting Held at Richmond
31 of the 3 mo 1800 the accounts from the Several preparative
Meetings being presented the Representatives therein named are

For Southkingston Sarah Hoxsie and Elizabeth Sims
For Hopkintown Sarah Wilbur and Catharine Kinyon being
Calld all present The matter respecting Sarah Davis is referd as
Before one of the Friends that was appointed to Visit Esther
Wilbur informd this Meeting that they had not attended to their
Appointment therefore it is referd under the Care of the Same
Committee and they are Requested to attend to Said appointment
And report to our next monthly Meeting Catharine Kinyon
Gave a Satisfactory reason for her not attending last mo. Meeting
Agreeable to appointment the Querys was read in this meeting and anſwers thereto
Agreed on and an account prepared to be Sent up to our next Quarterly
Meeting by our Representatives who are Avis Knowles and Dorcas
Weaver Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs that Sarah
Peckham is about to Remove to Rhode Island Mo. Meeting and
Request our Certificate whereupon we appoint Ruth Foster and
Sarah Wilbur to take the neceſsary Care and prepare one and bring
It to our next mo. Meeting if they find nothing to prevent this
Meeting is informd that a Small part of the overseers met and
Conſiderd of Such buſineſs as Came before them
~~M~~ At Southkingston mo. Meeting Held at Richmond
4 mo. 28 Day 1800 the accounts from the Several preparative Meeting
Being ~~Call~~ presented the Representatives therein named ar for
Southkingston Deborah Rodman and Avis Knowles for Hopkinton
Mary Collins and Bathsheba Collins being Called all present
The Matter Respecting Sarah Davis is referd as before the
" Committee that was appointed to visit Esther Wilbur Report that
" She does not appear of a Disposition to Condemn her Misconduct
" Therefore having the unity of our men Friends we put her from
" Under our Care until She Shall return and make Friends Satis
" faction for her afoursaid transgreſsion we appoint Dorcas
Weaver and Bathsheba Collins to draw a testimoney of a
Denial against her and present to our next mo. Meeting
The Representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly
Meeting Report that they attended agreeable to appointment
the Matter respecting Sarah Peckham is referd to our next mo.
Meeting Southkingston Preparative Meeting informs that
Mary Dockry wife of John Dockry has tranſgreſsed
Friends Rules by not attending our Meetings Likewise in
Dreſs and addreſs whereupon we appoint Mary Collins
And Sarah Wilbur to visit her and report to our Next mo. Meeting

At a Mo.. Meeting of Women Friends Held at Southkingston 5 mo.. Day 1800 the accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives therein — Named are for Southkingston Sarah Hazard and Elizabeth Sims for Hopkinton Sarah Rathbun and Mary Collins Being Cal.. all preasent Exicept Sarah Hazard, this Mee.. Is inform.. that She was prevented by indisposition of Boddy The Matter Respecting Sarah Davis is Referd as Before The Friends that was appointed to draw a Testimony of Denial Against Esther Wilbur Have presented one agreeable to — Appointment Which was read and approved in this Mee.. we appoint Sarah Wilbur to read Said Denial at the end of a First Day Meeting Where She does belong the Matter respecting Sarah Peckham is Referd as before the Committee that was Appointed to visit Mary Dockry wife of John Dockry Respecting a Complaint brought up against Her from our last preparative Mee.. Report as followeth Acording to Appointment we have Had an opportunity with Mary Dockry and She appears to be Willing to take Friends advise in Some good Degree and Said She hopes She Should indeavor to attend Meeting and observe The Ways of Friends More Than She had done and it felt to Us as though She had a desire to live nearer to the Truth Than She Had done and She desired Friends Would wate Longer with her which we think well of all which we Submit to the Monthly Meeting to be Held at So.. Kingston the 26 of the 5 mo.. 1800

Committees Report

Samuel Sheffield
Jeremiah Browning
Sarah Wilbur
Mary Collins

Agreeable to her request we think best to wate longer With her Received a Certificate from Providence Mo.. Mee.. For Elizabeth Healy dated 1 mo 28 day 1800 Which is as followe

Certificate

"To the Mo.. Mee.. at Southkingston

Dear Friends the within nam

"Friend Elizabeth Healy having returnd to live within the "The Compass of of your Meeting and requests our Certificate "These may inform that upon enquiry we dont find but that he "Conduct while with us was orderly and that her affairs here ar "Setled to Satisfaction, we are your Friends and Sisters Signed—

" On Behalf of our Monthly Meeting ~~by~~ of Women friends held at
" Providence 28 1 mo: 1800 by Abigail Arnold Clerk
" and the Clerk Directed to Record the Same

At a Mo: Meet: of Women Friends held at Southkingston
6 Mo 13. 1800, the Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings
Being presented, the Representatives Therein Named are, for South
kingston Mercy Peckham and Hannah Perry for Hopkinton
Bathshebe Collins and Ruth Foster being Called all preasent
the Matter Respecting Sarah Davis is Referd as Before, the
Friend that was appointed to read the Denial of Esther Wilbur
informed that she has preformd that Service, ~~the Committee~~
and returnd said denial which is as followeth
" Whereas Esther Wilbur hathhad a Right of Membership in our
Denial Religious Society but hath of Late Transgressd the Rules thereof
" by going to a Place where there was Musick and Dancing and
" Joined withthere with, and being laboured with for Her Recovery which
" proved inaffectual we therefore Deny her remaining any longer
" a Member of our Society until she shall return and condemn her
" said Transgression which is our Sincear Desire she may Given
" fourth at our Mo: Mee: Held at Southkingston 5 mo 26 1800
" Signed in and by Direction of Said Mee: by
Alice Peckham Clerk

The Committee that was appointed to draw a Certificate
for Sarah Peckham, have Drawn one According to appointment
and presented to this Meeting, which being read and approd is
Signed by the Clerk, the Clerk is directed to Record the same
and forward it to Said Mo: Mee: From our Mo: Mee: held
" at Southkingston 30 of 6th mo: 1800 To Accoaxet Mo: Mee:
rtificate " Dear Friends Sarah Peckham has Removd within the
" Verge of your Meeting to live, these are therefore to
" Certify on her Behalf that she is a Member of our
" Mo: Mee:, and by Inquiry she hath Settled her outward
" affairs to Satisfaction and is Clear of Marrage Ingag
" ments, as such we Recommend her to your Care and
" oversight Signed in and by Direction of our above said
" Meeting by Alice Peckham Clerk
the Matter respecting appointing Overseers Coming
Before this Meeting we have appointed Mary Knowles
Sarah Hazard Avis Knowles Sarah Rathbun, Mercy
Peckham Anna Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur Overseers
for the year Insewing

At Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 7mo 28 Day 1800 the Accounts from the several Preparative Meeting being called the Representatives therein named are for So: kingston Sarah Hoxsie and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkintown Dorcas Weaver Martha Kinyon and Dorcas Cross. being called all Preasent except Dorcas Weaver. who sent a Satiffactory Reason for her not attendin The Matter respecting Sarah Davis is refered as before The Querys were read in this Meeting and Answers theret agreed on and an Account prepared to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Avis Knowles Sarah Wilbur and Alice Peckham Southkingston preparative Meeting informs that Elizabet Sheffield Daughter of Samuel Sheffield is keeping Company with one not a Member of our Society and is also in a State of Pregnancy she having been Laboured with does not appear of a Disposition to Condemn her Transgressions we therefore deny her from being any longer a Member of our Religious Society until She shall return and make Friends Sattisfaction for her aforesaid Transgressions. We appoint Sarah Hazard and Avis Knowles to draw a Testimony of a Denial ~~a~~ against her and present to our next Monthly Meeting. This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers meet and considered of such Business as came before them.

At a Mo:: Meeting of Women Friends held at South 9mo:: 1 1800 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being called the Representatives therein named are for So: Kingston are Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Sarah Browning and Sarah Rathbun being called all present the Complaint that was brought up against Sarah Davis respectin keeping Company with one not a Member of our Society on ~~A~~ Account of Marriage in the first mo:: last, we have after weightily considered said Matter and having the Unity of our Men Friends concluded to deny her from having any longer a Right of Membership in our religious Society until she shall return and ma Friends Satisfaction for her said Transgression we appoint Sarah Hazard to inform her thereof The Representatives that was appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting

Reported that they attended agreeable to their Appointment. The Committee that was appointed to draught a Testimony of a Denial against Elizabeth Sheffield have presented one agreeable to appointment which being read is approved and signed by the Clerk we appoint Avis Knowles to see said Denial read at the end of a first Day Meeting and return it to our next mo.. Meeting which is as follows

Denial Whereas Elizabeth Sheffield Daughter of Samuel Sheffield hath had a Right of Membership in our religious Society but hath transgressed the Rules thereof by keeping Company with one who is not a Member amongst us we therefore deny her for Company Keeping and other unchast Conduct she hath been laboured with on ~~th~~ they Accounts & the doth not appear of a Disposition to condemn her aforesaid Transgressions we therefore Deny her from having any Longer a Right of Membership amongst us until she shall return and make Friends Satisfaction given fourth at our mo.. Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston 9 mo.. 1 - 1800

Signed in and by Direction of our above said Meeting by

Alice Peckham Clerk

Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs that Anna Weaver Daughter of Zebulon Weaver Disceused has transgressed Friends Rules by Marrying one not a Member of our Society she having been laboured with for her Recovery before Marrigge but has proceeded we therefore having the Unity of our Men Friends Deny her from being any Longer a Member of our religious Society until she shall Make Friends Satisfaction for ~~her~~ said Transgression we appoint Sarah Browning and Sarah Wilbur to draugh a Testimony of Denial against her and present to our next mo.. Meeting. Received a Coppy of Philadelphia and Newyork Epistles with the Extracts of our Yearly Meetings Minutes all which have been read to our Satisfaction and Incouragement agreeable to the renewed Advice of our Quarterly Meeting we appoint Sarah Hazard Sarah Rathbun Hannah Perry, Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur to take said Epistles with the Extract of Yearly Meetings Minutes and Visit such of our Friends as are by Indisposition of Boddy or the like prevented from attending our Meetings, our Men Friends informed that it is the Request of the Committee appointed by our Yearly Meeting to Visit our mo.. Meeting that our mo.. Meeting should be held 9 mo.. 22 - 1800 and the Select Meeting the Morning of the same Day at ~~[illegible]~~ the 8 Hour at this Place all which this Meeting concurrs with.

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At a Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Southkingston 9th mo= 22 - 1800 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being called the Representatives, for Southkingston are; Elizabeth Sims, and Alice Peckham; for Hopkinton, Dorcas Weaver, and Anna Wilbur, being called all present except Anna Wilbur; and she sent a satisfactory Reason for her not Attending. The Friend that was appointed to inform Sarah Davis that Friends had made a Minute against her; informed this Meeting that she had preformed that Service. The Friend that was appointed to see the Denial of Elizabeth Sheffield's read, informs that she has preformed that Service; and has returned said Denial to this Meeting The Friends that were appointed to draugh a Testimony of Denial; against Anna Collins; have presented one agreeable to Appointment which being read; is approved and signed by the Clerk we appoint Mary Collins to see said Denial read at the end of a first Day Meeting where she did belong; and return it to our next mo= Meeting. The Querys were read in this Meeting; and Answers to the 1 - 2 and 12 Querys agreed ~~u~~on; and an Account prepared to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Hazard and Mary Collins. This Meeting is informed that the Overseers meet and considered of such Business as came before them

At Southkingston mo= Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo= 27 1800 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being called the Representatives therein named are for South Kingston Lois Knowles and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Catharine Kenyon and Hannah Sheffield being called all present. The Friends that was appointed to see the Denial of Anna Collins's read; informed that she has preformed that Service; and has returned said Denial to this Meeting which is as followeth - -

Denial Whereas Anna Collins Daughter of Zebulon Weaver late of Hopkintown deceased hath had ~~a~~ by Birth a right of Membership in our religious Society; but hath of late transgressed the Rules thereof by Marrying one not in Unity with us notwithstanding she was previously laboured with to desist from keeping Company on that Account; which had not its desired Affect, we therefore deny her remaining any longer a Member of our Society until she shall make Friends Satisfaction for her above said Transgression - - Given fourth at our Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Southkingston 9th mo= 22..1800 Signed in and by Direction of ou said Meeting by Alice Peckham Clerk

The Representatives that were appointed to attend our last Quart Meeting inform; that they attended agreeable to appointment and delivered the Account with the Answers. The appointing o a Clerk coming before this Meeting Alice Peckham is appoin=ted for the Year ensewing.......

At SouthKingston mo= Meeting held at Hopkinton th 12mo= 1d 1800 The Accounts from the several preparative Meeting being called, the Representatives therein named are for SouthKing=ton Sarah Hoxsie and Mercy Peckham for Hopkintown — Bathshebe Collins and Sarah Browning. being called all preasent. Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs that Joshu Bradley proposes to lay his Intentions of Marriage with Dorcas Rathbun before this Meeting. Accordingly the said Joshua Bradley and Dorcas Rathbun appeard in this Meeting and declared their Intentions of takeing each other in Marriage if the Lord permit. Which this Meeting takes Notice of and desires them to wate until next mo= Meeting for an Answer They likewise prodused ~~their~~ her Parents Consent in writeing and he gave Friends a satisfactory Reason why he did not his and Likewise informed that his Parent had full Apprbation with their intended Marriage. Whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah Browning and Dorcas Weaver to inquire into the Conversation and Clearness of Dorcas Rathbun ~~and~~ respecting Marriage and report to our next mo= Meeting

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmo 12 mo= 29d 1800 The Accounts from the several preparative Meeting being called the Representatives therein named are for Southking=ton are Elizabeth Sims and Avis Knowles for Hopkinto Dorcas Weaver and Catharine Kinyon being called all present. The Committee appointed to make the

Necessary Inquiry into the Conversation and Clearness of Dorcas Rathbun respecting Marriage, report that they cant find any thing to hinder her from proceeding. And they both appearing in this Meeting declard they continued their Intentions of ~~takeing~~ Marriage, therefore this Meeting leaves them at Liberty to proceed in Marriage by keeping to the good Orders established among Friends. we appoint Dorcas Weaver and Avis Knowles to attend the Solomnization of their said Marriage and report to our next mo. Meeting. The Quearys were read in this Meeting and Answers to the 1 . 2 and 12 Quearys agreed on and an Account prepared to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Hoxsie Alice Peckham and Dorcas Weaver

South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that John Warner Knowles proposes to lay his Intentions of Marriage with Esther Hoxsie before this Meeting, accordingly they appeard in this Meeting and declard their Intentions of takeing each other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of, and Desires them to wate until next monthley Meeting for an Answer. They Likewise produced their Parents and Guardians Concent in writing. we appoint Avis Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to make the necessary Inquiry into the Conversation and Clearness of Esther Hoxsie respecting Marriage and report to our next Monthly Meeting this Meeting is inform,d that part of the Overseers meet and considered of Such Business as came ~~before~~ them

At Southkingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1 mo. 1801 The Acounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkintown Bathsheba Collins and Hannah Sheffield. being called all present. The Representatives appointed to attend our last quarterly Meeting repoart that they attended agreeable to Appointment and deliverd the Accounts with the Answers. The Committee appointed to attend the Solomnization of the Marriage of Joshua Bradley and Dorcas Rathbun repoarts that it was orderly conducted The Committee appointed to make the necessary Inquiry into the Conversation and Clearness of Esther Hoxsie respecting Marriage repoarts that Nothing appears to hinder their proceeding. Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared they continued their Intention of Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and leaves them at Liberty to proceed in Marriage by keeping to the good Orders establi= hed among Friends. We appoint Avis Knowles and Sarah Hazar to attend the Solomnization of their said Marriage and report to our next monthly Meeting Hopkintown preparative Meeting inform that Ethan Foster proposes to lay his Intentions of Marriage with Temporance Bragg befor this Meeting accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared their Intentions of takeing each other in Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and desires them to wate until our next monthly Meeting for an Answer they like= wise produced their Parents Consent in writing. We appoint Sarah Wilbur and Bathsheba Collins to make the neceſsary Inquiry into the Conversation and Clearneſs of Temporance Bragg respecting Marriag and repoart to our next monthly Meeting

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of women Frien held at Richmond 2 mo. 23 day 1801 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives ~~from~~ the ~~several~~ therein named are for South Kingston Lucy Knowles & Catharine Knowles, for Hopkintown Sarah Wilbur and Hannah Sheffield; being called all present a Part of the Committee that was appointed to attend the Solomnizeation of the Marriage of John Worder Knowles / repoarts that it was orderly conducted; Sarah Hazard gave a satisfactory Reason for her not attending to said Appointment. The Committee appointed to make the neceſsary Inquiry into the Conversation and Clearneſs of Temporance Bragg

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Marriage repoarts; that they dont find any Thing to hinder her from proceeding. accordingly they appear'd in this Meeting and declar'd they continued ~~they continued~~ their Intentions of Marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and leaves them at Liberty to proceed in Marriage; by keeping to the good Order established among Friends; we appoint Dorcas Weaver and Bathsheba Collins to attend the Solomnizeation of their Said Marriage and repoart to our next monthly Meeting. Whereas Anna Collins sometime past transgreſs'd Friends Rules by Marrying ~~of~~ out of the Unity of Friends; for which she was denyed a Right of Membership in our religious Society until she should return & Condemn

The same: and she having sent in an Acknowledgement condemning said Transgression. Friends after weightily considering said Matter appoint Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie to visit her and as near as may be; repoart the State of her Mind; and the Sincerrity of her Desires; to our next monthly Meeting - - - - - - -

At SouthKingstown monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 3mo. 30 1801. The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for SouthKingstown are Lucy Knowles and Deborah Rodman for Hopkintown Dorcas Weaver and Anna Wilbur, being called all present except Anna Wilbur, and she sent a satisfactory Reason for her Absence. The Committee appointed to attend the Solomnization of the Marriage of Ethan Foster and Temporance Bragg reports that it was orderly conducted. The Committee appointed to visit Anna Collins repoarts as followeth - - - -

Report

According to Appointment we have had a solid Opportunity with Anna Collins and confer'd with her on her ~~[illegible]~~ late Transgression in marrying out of the Unity of Friends and believe her to be in a good Degree sincere in condemning her sd. Transgression and think well of Friends passing it by and restoring her to Membership again all which we submit to the monthly Meeting to be held at Richmond 3mo. 30d 1801 - Joseph Collins John Wilbur Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Wilbur. Which being read in this and the Mens Meeting is approv'd and the further digesting of sd. Repoart is refer'd to our next monthly Meeg. The Queries were read in this Meeg and Answers thereto agree'd an and an Account prepared which are to be sent up to our next quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Mercy Peckham and Lucy Knowles SouthKingston preparative Meeting informs that Abigail and Dorcas Reynolds Daughters of Jonithan Reynolds have transgress'd Friends Rules in Dress and the neglect of attending our religious Meeg They having been divers Times laboured with by the Overseers for their recover and it has proved Inaffectual whereupon this Meeting appoints Lucy Kn Sarah Hoxsie and Deborah Rodman to visit them and repoart to our next monthly Meeg Sou Kingston preparative Meeg Likewise informs th Mary Reynolds Daughter of the aforsaid Jonithan Reynolds has -

removed to live within the Verge of Greenwich monthly Mee: without a Certificate, whereupon we appoint Lucy Knowles Sarah Hoxsie and Deborah Rodman to make the necessary Inquiry and prepare one and ~~to~~ present it to our next monthly Mee: Hopkintown preparative Meeting informs that Lurana Larkin has removed out of the Verge of this monthly Mee: without a Certificate contrary to the Advice of Friends and has for several Years neglected the Attendance of our Meetings which being weightily considered in this and the Men's Mee: we have concluded to deny her a Right of Membership in our religious Society until she shall return and make Friends Satisfaction for her sd Transgressions we appoint Dorcas Weaver to inform her thereof This Meeting is inform'd that Part of the Overseers met and consider'd of such Business as came before them — — — —

At South Kingston monthly Mee: of women Friends

held at Richmond 4 mo: 2d 1801 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives therein named are for So: Kingston are Elizabeth Sims and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Catharine Kinyon and Ruth Foster being cal'd all present. The rt of the Committee appointed to visit Anna Collins being again read in this Meeting and having the Unity of our Men Friends we do restore her to Membership again Sarah Wilbur is appointed to ~~inform to~~ see sd Acknowledgment read publickly and return'd to our next Monthly Meeting. One of the Representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting informs that she attended agreeable to Appointment. Lucianna Knowles gave a satisfactory Reason for her not attending. Part of the Committee appointed to visit Abigail and Dorcas Reynolds repoarts that they do not appear of a Disposition to condemn their sd Transgressions, we after weightily considering sd Matter and having the Unity of our Men Friends conclude to deny them a Rite of Membership in our Society until they return and make Friends Satisfaction for sd Transgressions We appoint Mercy Peckham and Alice Peckham to prepare a Denial and present to our next Monthly Mee: The Committee — appointed to prepare a Certificate for Mary Reynolds has presented one which being read is approved and signed by the Clerk and she is ~~[illegible]~~ directed to forward sd Certificate to the Monthly Meeting within the Limits of which she now resides South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Mary Dockry Wife of John Dockry has transgressed Friends Rules by not attending Meetings and her Conduct other Ways does not become one professing Truth and being repeatedly laboured with for her Recovery will not be prevailed with to take Friends Advice therein. The digesting of the above Complaint is referd to our next Monthly Meeting

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So.. Kingston

6 Mo.. 1d 1801 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented The Representatives for South Kingston are Mercy Peckham and — Lucianna Knowles for Hopkinton Martha Kinyon and Bathsheba Collins being called all present. The Friend that was appointed to see the Acknowledgement ~~of~~ sent in by Anna Collins read in a publick Meeting not being ready to report, that Business is referd under her Care. The Committee that was appointed to prepare a Denial against Abigail Reynolds and Dorcas Reynolds has attended to sd Appointment and sd Denial being read in this Meeting is approved and by the Meetings Direction signed by the Clerk. Sarah Hazard is appointed to see sd Denial publickly read and return it to our next monthly Meeting, and likewise to inform them thereof. The Complaint brought up to our last monthly Meeting against Mary Dockry, being revived in this, after a long Deliberation on the Subject we by the Request of our Men Friends, appoint Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hazard to Join their Committee appointed to visit her & report to our next monthly Meeting her present State as near as may be — — ——

At a monthly Meeting of women Friends held at So.. Kingston

6 mo.. 29 1801 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives are for South Kingston Hannah Perry and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Martha — Kinyon and Sarah Wilbur being called all present except Martha Kinyon who sent a satisfactory Reason for her Absence. The Friend that was appointed to have the Care of the aforesaid Acknowledgement has preformed that Service for which she was appointed and has returned sd Acknowledgement to this Meeting which is as followeth - -

> To the monthly Meeting of Friends to be held at South Kingston 9 mo.. 2
> 1800 Dear Friends I am fealingly sensible of the Loss I have sustaind by being put from under your Care, which I know to be caused by my own Transgression; by Marrying with one that is not a Member, I am very Sorry that I have transgressed your Rules. When I began to think that I should be set a side from my Friends, it rought some serious Reflections on my Mind, insomuch that I do heartily and truly condemn the same, and desire Friends to pass it by and receive me under your Care again. This is the sincear Desire of your unworthy Friend
> Anne Collins

The Friend that was appointed to see the Denial of Abigail Reynolds and Dorcas Reynolds publickly read and returned has preformed that Service and has likewise informed them thereof s.d Denial is as followeth —

Denial

Whereas Abigail Reynolds and Dorcas Reynolds Daughters of Jonithan Reynolds have had a Rite of Membership in our religious Society, but have ~~of~~ transgreſsed the Rules thereof by neglecting the Attendance of our Meetings as also their Dreſs and Deportment so far deviate from the Simplicity of our holy Profeſsion. and having been Laboured with for their Recovery divers Times, it has proved sorrowfully ineffectual. We therefore deny them a Rite of Membership in our Society until they return and make Friends Satisfaction for s.d Transgreſsions —

Given fourth at our monthly Meeting of women Friends held at So.. Kingston 6 mo.. 1.. 1801. Signed in and by Direction of s.d Meeting by Alice Peckham Clerk

The Committee appointed to visit Mary Dockry, not being ready to report, that Busineſs is referd under their Care. South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Sims is about to remove to live within the Verge of Salem monthly Meeting and requests our Certificate. Whereupon we appoint Avis Knowles and Sarah Haſard to make the neceſsary Inquiry and prepare one and present to our next monthly Meeting if they find Nothing to predent. The Subject of appointing Overseers coming before this Meeting we appoint Hannah Perry Mercy Peckham Sarah Rathbun Mary Collins Avis Knowles and Hannah Hazard Overseers for the Year ensewing having the Unity of our Men Friends therein

It appears by a few Lines from Greenwich monthly Meeting that their was a Shortneſs in the Certificate sent them for Mary Reynolds with regard to expreſsing whither she was clear of marriage Ingagements and likewise whither her outward Affairs were settled to Satisfaction for which Shortneſs s.d Certificate is returned to this Meeting, and the Clerk is directed to return it to the former Committee and request them to make the neceſsary Inquiry and Alterations and present s.d Certificate to our next monthly Meeting —

At a monthly Meeting of women Friends held at So.. Kingston 6 mo.. 26 1801 The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Deborah Rodman and Lucianna Knowles for Hopkintown Sarah Rathbun Catharine Kinyon and Thankful Collins being called all present. The Matter respecting Mary Dockry, is referd under the Care of the same Committee. The Committee that was appointed to prepare a Certificate for Elizabeth Simms has presented one agreeable to appointment, which being read is approved and signed by the Clerk, and is as followeth. Avis Knowles and Mary Knowles are appointed to inquire, whither the Friend is furnished with a neceſsary Stock of Money to perform the Journey to s.d Monthly Meeting and if their appear to be any Want to furnish her with a sufficient Sum of therefor and report it to our next Monthly Meeting

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So. Kingst
in the State of Rhode Island the 27th of 7 mo. 1801
To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends of Salem in the Stat
of Massachusets

Dear Friends in Love we sallute you and inform
that Elizabeth Simms a ~~B~~ Member of our Monthly Meeting is
about to remove within the Verge of your Meeting and Desires
our Certificate on that Account; we therefore inform that she
is of an orderly Life and Conversation and a dilligent Attende
of Meetings, and on Enquiry do not find but that she has setled her
outward Affairs to satisfaction and is clear of marriage Engag
=ments. We therefore recommend her to your Christian Care and
Oversight with Desires for her Groth in the Truth
Signed in and by Direction of our said Meeting by
Alice Peckham Clerk

The Matter respecting the Alterations that are to be made after necessary Enquiry in Mary Reynolds Certificate is referd under the Care of the former Committee until another Month. The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and an Account prepared to be sent up to our next ~~Monthly Meeting~~ Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Lucianna Knowles and Alice Peckham. This Meeting is informed that Part of the Overseers meet and considered of such Business as came before them. South Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Thankful Dye has a Prospect of visiting her Relations who Live within the Verge of Quemans Monthly Meeting, and requests a few Lines by Way of Certificate, these are to certify that she is a Member of this Meeting. The Clerk is directed to give her a Cappy of this Minute

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So. Kingston
8 mo. 31. 1801.

The Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Lucianna Knowles and Mercy Peckham for Hopkintown Sarah Rathbun & Dorcas Weaver being called all present, except Dorcas Weaver who this Meeting is informd was prevented attending by Indisposit in the Family. The Committee appointed to Visit Mary Dockry reports as followeth:—

To the Monthly Meeting of Friends next to be held at South Kingston 8 mo. 31. 1801.

We your Committee appointed to treat with Mary Dockry in the Complaint for her not atten

Friends Meetings &c, and having had an Oppertunity with her on that Account, she did not give any Encouragement of any Amendment but appeard willing to be denyed - - - -

Simeon Perry
Peter Hoxsie
Mercy Peckham
Sarah Hazard

Which being weightily considerd in this Meeting and having the Unity of our Men Friends, we deny her a Rite of Membership in our Society until she shall return and make Friends Satisfaction for her aforesaid Transgressions. The Committee appointed to take the necessary Care that Elizabeth Simms should be assisted if necessary to perform her Journey, reports that she thought herself capable of performing it without Friends Assistance. The Committee appointed to make the necessary Alterations in a Certificate for Mary Reynolds has performed that Service and presented a Certificate for sd Friend which being read is approved and signed by the Clerk and she is directed to forward it to sd Monthly Meeting, said Certificate is as followeth

From our Monthly Mee= of Women Friends held at So= Kingston 8 mo= 31 - 1801

To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at East Greenwich.

Dear Friends, these are to inform that Mary Reynolds Daughter of Jonithan Reynolds hath removed to live within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and hath a Rite of Membership in our religious Society by Virtue of a Certificate received from your Monthly Mee= some Time past and by Inquiry it appears that she is clear of Marriage Ingagements and likewise that her outward Affairs are settled to Satisfaction as such we recommend her to your Christian Care and Oversight with Desires for her Groth in the Truth.

Signed in and on behalf of sd Meeting by Alice Peckham Clerk

The Representatives appointed to attend our Quarterly Meeting inform, that they attended agreeable to appointment and deliverd the Account with the Answers, and to return the Extracts of last yearly Meetings Minutes, with Transcripts of Epistles from Europe — Philadelphia and New York. So= Kingston Preparative Mee= informs that Hannah Knowles and her Daughter Elizabeth are about to remove to live within the Verge of Danby Monthly Meeting and request our Certificate whereupon we appoint Lucianna Knowles and Sarah Hazard to make the neceſsary Inquiry; and if they find Nothing to prevent to prepare Certificates for s.d Friends and present to our next Monthly Meeting. So: Kingston Preparative Meeting likewiſe informs that Alice Peckham proposeſ to lay her Intentions of Marriage with Rowland Rathbun before this Mee: accordingly they appear'd in this Meeting and declar'd their Intention of taking each other in Marriage if permited, of Which this Meeting takes Notice and Deſires them to wate until another Month for an Answer, they likewise produced their Parents Concent in writing. We appoint Sarah Hazard and Deborah Rodman to inquire into the Clearneſs of Alice Peckham respecting Marriage and report to our next Monthly Meeting --

The before mentioned Epistles with the Extracts from our Yearly Meetings Minutes have been read we trust to the Edification and solid Satiſfaction of some Minds; agreeable to the renewed Advice of the Quarterly Meeting, we propose to appoint a suitable Committee to have the Care of reading the Transcripts of Epistles and the Extracts of our yearly Meetings Minutes to such of our Members, as are in such Circumstances as to render it truely difficult to attend Meetings. This Mee: being so small it is thought best to defer said Appointment to another Month

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkintown 9 mo: 28 -- 1801

The Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented, the Representatives for South Kingston are Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie, for Hopkintown Hannah Sheffield and Mary Collins, being called all present; The Committee appointed to prepare Certificates for Hannah Knowles & her Daughter Elizabeth, has agreeable to Appointment presented them for s.d Friends, which being read one of them is approved and signed by the Clerk and is as followeth

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkintown in the State of Rhode Island the 28 of the 9 Mo. 1801

To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at ~~Danby~~ Farisburg in the State of Vermont —

Dear Friends

Hannah Knowles Wife of Robert Knowles — informed this Meeting that she was about to remove within the Verge of your Mo. Meeting, and requests our Certificate. These may therefore certify on her Behalf, that she is a Member of our Society and a pretty constant Attender of Meetings We therefore recommend her to your Christian Care and Oversight with Desires for her Preservation and Growth in the Truth — we remain your affectionate Friends and Sisters

signed in and on Behalf of our above said Meeting by

Alice Peckham Clerk

The other not being altogether Satisfactory the signing thereof is referd until another Month, The Friends that were appointed to inquire into the Clearness of Alice Peckham respecting Marriage report that they find Nothing to hinder ther from proceeding. accordingly they appeard in this Meeting and declared they continued their Intentions of Marriage, which being taken Notice of, they are at Liberty to proceed by keeping to the good Order established among Friends, we appoint Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie to attend the Solomnizeation and the Entertainment for the same and report to our next Monthly Meeting —

Agreeable to the renewed Advice of our Quarterly Meeting and the Referance of last Monthly Mee. we appoint Hannah Perry Sarah Hazard Sarah Wilbur Mary Collins Sarah Rathbun Sarah Hoxsie and Mercy Peckham to Visit our Friends that we by the Permition of Divine Wisdom Labouring under such Impedaments as to render it difficult for them to attend Mee. and read the Extracts of our Yearly Meetings Minutes with the Copys of the Before mentioned Epistles —

South Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Mary Hassard Wife of Jonathan Hassard requests that her Children — namely James R Hassard Alice R Hassard Stephen Hassard Jonathan N Hassard Sylvester R Hassard Mary A Hassard should be taken under the Care of Friends whereupon we appoint Sarah Hassard Sarah Hoxsie and Hannah Perry to join the Mens Committee appointed to Visit them with

Their Mother and report their Sense with regard to there being received to our next Monthly Mee.ᵍ The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and an Account prepared to be sent up to our Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Hazard, this Mee.ᵍ is informed that Part of the Overseers meet and considered of such Business as came before them

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton

10 mo.ᵗʰ . . 1801 The Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings &c. being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Mercy Peckham and Avis Knowles —— for Hopkinton Temperance Foster and Anna Wilbur; being called all present — The Impediment which prevented the before mentioned Certificate from being signed, not being removed; it is referd under the Care of the Committee appointed to prepare said Certificate, that they labour to have it removed and report to our next Monthly Meeting a Part of the Committee appointed to attend the Solomnization of the Marriage of Rowland Rathbun and Alice Peckham reports ~~as followeth~~ that it was orderly Conducted. The Committee appointed to visit Mary Haſsard and Children reports as followeth

We your Committee appointed to visit Mary Haſsard with her — Children have agreeable to said Appointment visited them and Think well of their being ~~received~~ received. all which we submit to the Monthly Mee.ᵍ of Friends next to be held at Hopkinton

10 Mo.ᵗʰ 26 1801

William Knowles
William Peckham
Sarah Hazard

which being approved, with the Unity of our Men Friends we think well of their being received. The Representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Mee.ᵍ inform, that they attended agreeable to Appointment. So-Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Mary Congdon Daughter of Charles Congdon is about to remove to live within the Verge of Quemans Monthly Meeting and requests our Certificate; whereupon we appoint Alice Rathbun to prepare one and present to the Mee.ᵍ which being complyed with said Certificate is presented approved and signed by the Clerk and is as followeth –

= From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton in the
= State of Rhode Island 10 Mo: 26: 1801
= To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at Duemans in the State
= of New York –

Dear Friends –

= Whereas Mary Corigdon Daughter of Charles Congdon is about to remo to ~~lit~~ live with her Father within the Verge of your Monthly Meetin These are to certify that she is a Member of our Society and in a State of Infancy, as such we recommend her to your Christian Care and Oversight with Desires for her Groath in the Truth – – –

Signed by Direction and on Behalf of our above said Meeting by –

Alice Rathbun Clerk –

At, South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11 mo: 30. 1801 The Accounts from the several Preparativ Meetings being presented. The Representatives for So: Kingston are Alice Rathbun and Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Ruth Foster being called all present except Ruth Foster, and she sent a satisfactory Reason for her Absence The Matter that prevented Elizabeth Knowles Certificate from being signed; The Clerk is directed to sign and record said Certificate and forward it to said Monthly Meeting, which being complyed with, said Certificate is as followeth – –

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton in the State of Rhode Island the 30 of the 11 Mo: 1801

To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at Farisburg ~~Danby~~ in the State of Vermont.

Dear Friends –

Elizabeth Knowles Daughter of Robert Knowles, informs this Meeting that she was about to remove to live within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting, and requests our – Certificate. These may therefore certify on her Behalf that she is a Member of our Society and by Enquiry do not find but that she is clear of Marriage ~~&~~ Engagements and her outward Affairs settled to Satisfaction; with Desires for her Preservation and Groath in the Truth, we recommend her

this was omitted threw a Mistake and the other
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to your Christian Care and Oversight; and remain your affectionate Friends and Sisters

Signed in and on behalf of our above said Meeting —

By Alice Rathbun Clerk

We appoint our Friends Sarah Wilbur Sarah Hoxsie Alice Rathbun and Mary Collins to join the Mens Committee appointed to collect Memorials of the Pious Lives of our deseased Friends and lay them before our Monthly Meeg.

We appoint our Friends Sarah Wilbur Mary Collins Sarah Hoxsie Dorcas Weaver Mercy Peckham and Anna Wilbur to join the Mens Committee appointed to visit the Families of Friends belonging to this Monthly Meeting and when said Service is accomplished to report thereto

At SouthKingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12 Mo. 28 - 1801 The Accompts from the several Preparative Meeg. being called the Representatives for SouthKingston are Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Hassard for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur and Mary Collins; Being called all present. Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs, that Acors Rathbun, and his Wife ~~with~~ propose to remove with their Children to live within the Compass of Quemans Monthly Meeting in the State of New York and request our Certificate, whereupon we appoint Anna Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur to join the Mens Committee ~~to~~ appointed to make the necessary Inquiry and prepare one and present to our next Monthly Meeg if they find Nothing to prevent. The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the to the first 2 & 12 agreed on and an Accompt prepared to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeg. by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilbur Alice Rathbun and Anna Wilbur. This Meeting is informed that Part of the Overseers met and considered of such Business as came before them —

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2 Mo: 1 – 1802 The Accompts from the several Preparative Meeting being presented the Representatives for So. Kingston are Avis Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Hannah Sheffield and Bathshabe Collins; being called all present except Sarah Hoxsie. The Friends appointed to make the necessary Inquiry and to prepare a Certificate for Acors Rathbun and his Wife, report they have attended to said Appointment and think well of its being referd until another Month by the Request of our Men Friends. Our Beloved Friends Elizabeth Coggshall and Ruth Shearman Junor attended this Meeting with a Coppy of a Minute from Rhode Island Monthly Meeting held at Portsmouth 31 of 12 Mo. 1801 Expresive of a Concern that hath for a considerable Time rested on their Minds to pay a Religious Visit to the particular Meetings belonging to our Quarterly Meeting and that of Smithfield, whose Company is truely acceptable to us. a Part of the Representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform'd this Mee. that they attended agreeable to Appointment and deliver'd the Account with the Answers. the Friend that did not attend rendered a Satisfactory Reason for her Abscence to said Quarterly Meeting which is likewise Satisfactory to this. Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Joshua Bradley and his Wife request removal Certificates to Quemans Monthly Meeting in the State of New York Whereupon we appoint Sarah Wilbur and Mary Collins to make the necessary Inquiry with Respect to Dorcas Bradleys having a removal Certificate to said Monthly Mee. and prepare one and present to our next Monthly Mee. if they find Nothing to prevent. The Committee appointed to collect Memorials of our deceased Friends hath presented one on Behalf of Thomas Wilbur son of Thomas which being read is approved and on Behalf of this Meeting signed by the Clerk

At So. Kingston Monthly of Women Friends held at Richmond 3 Mo. 1 – 1802 The Accompts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Lucianna Knowles & Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur, being called all present The Matter respecting Acors Rathbun and his Wife's having a Certificate is referd as before until another Month. The Committee appointed to prepare Dorcas Bradley's Certificate hath not present any, therefore it is referd under the Care of sd Committee until another Month. a Part of the Committee appointed to Visit the Families belonging to this Monthly Meeting reports that they have attended to said Appointment and that their Visit has been attended with Satisfaction to the Visiters, and by the general Condescention and Engagement of the Visited to collect their Families we have Cause to hope and Believe it will be of Use to both Partys conserned

South Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Alice Rathbun expects shortly to remove within the Verge of Smithfield Monthly Meeting and requests a removal Certificate, whereupon we appoint Lucianna Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to make the necessary Inquiry and prepare one and present to our next Monthly Meeting if they find Nothing to prevent

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 3 Mo 29 - 1802 The Acompts from the Preparative Meeting being presented the Representatives for South Kingstone are Avise Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Wilbur, being called all present, The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and an Account prepared to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting by ~~our~~ our Representatives who are Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hazard

The Matter respecting Acors Rathbun and his Family's having a Certificate is referd until another Month. The Committe appointed to prepare a Certificate for Alice Rathbun has presented one which being read is approved and signed and is followeth

South Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Thankful Die Wife of John Die is about to remove within the Verge of Quemans Monthly Meeting in the State of Newyork and requests our Certificate whereupon we appoint Avice Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to make the necessary Inquiry and prepare one and present to our next Monthly Meeting if they find Nothing to present

The Matter respecting Dorcas Bradleys having a Certificate
is referd until another Month, The appointing of a Clerk coming
before this Meeting, we have appointed Mary Collins Clerk and
Mercy Peckham assistant for the Year Ensewing; This Meeting
is informed that Part of the Overseers met and considered
of such Business as came before them. — — —

From ~~[illegible]~~ South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends
held at Richmond 3rd Mo. 29 — 1802.

To the Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends held at Smithfield —

Dear Friends. These are to inform that Alice Rathbun
Wife of Rowland Rathbun is about to remove ~~to~~ within
the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and requests our Certi
ficate these may Certify that she is a Member of our
Meeting of an orderly Life and Conversation a diligent —
attender of Meeting hath settled her outward Affairs to
Satisfaction as such we recommend her to your Christian
Care and Oversight — Desiring her Preservation and growth
in the Truth in Love we conclude and remain your
Friends. Signed by Direction and on Behalf of our
above said Meeting, By Mary Collins Clerk

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friend held at
Richmond 4 Mo. 26 .. 1802 The Accounts from the severel —
Prepareitive Meetings being presented the Repressentatives for
Southkingston are Avis Knowles and Sarah Hazard for Hopkington
Anna Wilbur and Dorkis Weaver being Called all present except Dorkis
Weaver who sent A Satisfactory Reason for her Absence
The Representatives ~~that~~ were Apointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting
informs that they attended agreeable to apointmant
The Matter respecting Acors Rathbun and his Wife having A
Certificate Coming before this Meeting A Certificate was presented
Approved and Signed by the Clerk of both Men and Womans Meeting
The Committee that was Appointed to make the nessary inquirey respecting
Thankful Dye having A Certificate not being ready to report that
Matter is refered until Another Month —
The Matter Respecting Dorkis Bradley having A

Certificate is Referd until Another Month South kingston
Preparative Meeting informs that Ruth Fiſh Daughter of Siluſ Fiſh
haſ removed to live at Ranſlowſvill within the verge of Quemans –
Monthly Meeting without A Certificate whareupon this Meeting
appoints Sarah Hoſie to make the neſecary inquiry and Prepare one
and preſent to our next Meeting if She finds nothing to hender

At A Monthly Meeting of Women ~~Friends~~ held at Southkingston
5 Mo 31 Day 1802 The Accounts from the Severel Preparative
Meetings being Preſented the Repreſentatives for South Kingston
are Sarah Haſsard and Lucianna Knowles for Hopkington
Sarah Wilbur and Anna Wilbur being Called ~~[illegible]~~ –
Lucianna Knowles and Sarah Wilbur preſent Sarah Hazard and
Anna Wilbur sent A Satiſfactory Reaſon for their Abſence the
Commite that was Appointed to make the Neſesary enquirey –
reſpecting Thankful Diers having A Removal Certificate finding
Nothing to hender preſented one which was Red approaved and is a,
followeth

From our monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southking(
5 Mo 31 * 1802 To the monthly Meeting of Friends at Quemmons
Dear Friends theas are to inform that Thankful Die Wife of
John Die is about to Remove with her Huſband and Family
to Unidilly within the verge of your monthly Meeting and
requeſts our Certificate theas are to certify on her behalf that she
A Member of our monthly Meeting and as such we reccomend
to your Care and overſight Signed in and on behalf of Meetings

By John Wilbur } Clerks
Mary Collins

The Matter Reſpecting Dorkis Bradleys having A Certificate
is refered under the Care of the same Commite until they
are ready to report The Friend that was Appointed to draw
A Certificate on behalf of Ruth Fiſh finding nothing to hinder
Preſented one which was read approaved and is as followeth

~~Southkingston~~
From our monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at
Southkingston 5 Mo 31 1802 To the Monthly Meeting of Fri
at Quimmons in the State of Newyork
Dear Friends theas are to inform that Ruth Fiſh Daughter of Sil
Fish has gon to live with her Brother in Law at Ranſloville
within the verge of your monthly Meeting theas are to Certify
on her behalf that she is A Member of our Society and Clear of Marriage Engagements with a
we therefore recommend her to your Care and overſight with
Deſires for her grouth and Proſperity in the Truth

Signed in and onbehalf of our Meeting By John Wilbur
Mary Collins Clerks

Southkingston Preparative Meeting informs that Mercy Peckham is proposed to be Appointed to the Station of an Elde which Coming before this Meeting it is Refurd until anoth another Month Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Westerly Meeting is very small which this Meeting has taken into Consideration and thinks best to Refur it until Another Month

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 6 Mo: 28:: 1802 The Accounts from the Several Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hazard ~~are appointed~~ for Hopkington Ruth Foster and Martha Kinyon being called are present ~~the~~ respecting the appointing Mercy Peckham to the station of an Elder coming before this Meeting with the unity of our Men Friends she is appointed to that Station The matter respecting the Smallness of Westerly Meeting coming before this Meeting it is thought best to appoint A Committee to Join ~~the~~ Mens ~~Frinds~~ Committee in Considering whether it is usefull to Society that Meeting should be continued or not whereupon we appoint Sarah Wilbur Sarah Hoxsie Hannah Perry Dorkis Weaver for that Servis

Hopkington Preparitive Meeting informs that Ruth Weaver Daughter of Zebulon Weaver deceased requests A Removal Certificate to RhodIsland Monthly Meeting where upon we appoint Sarah Wilbur and Mary Collins to make the necessary enquirey and ~~Report~~ draw one and Report at out next Monthly Meeting if they find nothing to hinder

The Matter respecting appinting Overseers ~~for the year ensuing~~ coming before this Meeting we appoint Sarah Hazard Lucynina Knowles Mercy Peckham Dorkis Weaver and Mary Collins for the Year ensuing having the ~~you~~ unity of our Men friends therein

At Southkingston monthly Meeting of Woman Friends held at Southkington 7 Month 26 1802 The Accounts from the several Preparativ Meetings being Presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Mercy Peckham and Hannah Perry for Hopkington Catherine Rusin And Dorkis Weavour being Calld all present except Dorkis Weavour who thi Meeting is informed was Prevented by ~~an~~ Indisposition of Body

The Committee that was appointed to make the nessesary enquery Respecting Ruth Weavour having A Certificate finding nothing to hinder Presented one to this Meeting which was Read Approved and Sined and is as followeth From Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Woman Friend held ~~at~~ S the 26 of the 7mo 1802 To the Monthly Meeting of Woman Friends on Rhod Island Dear Friends

Ruth Weavour having Removed to Live at Jamestown within the Compa of your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate These are therefore to certify on her Behalf that she is A Member of our Monthly Meeting and on enquiry ~~we not~~ ~~find~~ she has Settled her outwa affairs to Satiffaction and is clear of Marriage ingagements with us and was of A ordily Life and Converfation and A frequenter of our Religious Meetings with Desires for her groath in the Truth we recommend her to your Christain Care and Overfight

In Love we Conclude and Remain your Friends and Sisters

Signed on be half of said Meeting ~~by~~

By Mary Collins Clerk

The Quearies ware red in this Meeting and Answers ~~the~~ to the 1th 2 and 12 agreed on and are to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie

This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and Consided such Bisness as came before them

This Meeting appoints Mercy Peckham Sarah Hoxsie Susanna Knowles and Mary Collins Overseers of the Poor for the year Ensuing

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston 8 Mo 30 1802 The Accounts from the several Preparetive Meetings being Presented the Representative for Southkingston are Sarah Hazard and Lucianna Knowles for Hopkinton Martha Healy and Mary Collins being Called all Present - - - The Representatives that were appointed to Attend the Quartorly Meeting inform that they Attended. This Meeting appointes Avis Knowles Overseer for the year Ensuing having the unity of our Men Friends therein. We have receaved an extract from our Yearly Meetings Minnits of the 6 mo Last Also a Transcript of the London Epistle for 1801 and one from the yearly Meeting of Philadelphia 1802 and one from Newyork for 1802 all which was Red in this Meeting to good degree of Comfort and Satisfaction.

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 9 Mo 29 1802 the Accounts from the Several Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Mercy Peckham and Lucianna Knowles for Hopkington Hannah Sheffield and Catherine Kinyon being Called all Present - - Southkingston Preparative Meeting informs that Renewed Carpentor Daughter of James Carpentor Requests to be taken under the Care of Friends she also came into this Meeting and informed that she Continued her requests which this Meeting Takes notice of and Appoints Sarah Hasard Sarah Hoxsie and Avis Knowles to Take an Opportunity with her and Report their Judgment of her fitness for A Member of our Society and Report to our next Meeting our Men friends informs that Joshua Gardner Requests to be taken under the Care of Friends and expressed A freedom that we should appoint some friends to Visit him whereupon this Meeting - Appoints Sarah Wilbur and Dorkias Weaver to join the Mens — Committee and Report their Sence of his fitness for A Member of our Society. The Queries were Read in this Meeting and Answers to the first second and Twelf Agreed on and an Account Prepared to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representative who are Lucianna Knowles and Mercy Peckham

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held At Hopkington 11 Mo 1 1802 the Accounts from the Several Preparitive Meeting being presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Sarah Hasard and Hannah Knowles

for Hopkington Dorkis Cross and Anna Wilbur being Called all present The Commetee that was appointed to ta An Opportunity with Renewed Carpenter made report to th Meeting which is as followeth. According to appointment we have had an Satisfactory Opportunity with Renewed Carpent and think well of Granting her Request which we submit to the Monthly Meeting

To the Monthly Meeting
next to be held at Hopkington
the 1 Day of the 11 Mo: 1802

Sarah Horsee
Samuel Sheffield
Avis Knowles
Sarah Hazard
Peter Horsee
- - - - - - - - Andrew Nicholds Jur

Whoreupon this Meeting with the unity of our Men frie Admit her into Membership with us. The Committee that was appointed to take an Opportunity with Joshua Gardner Reports As followeth. According to appointment we have had A Soled Opportunity with Joshua Gardner and he appear to be of an Orderly Life and one in Principal with us and in A Measure Concerned for his own good as Also Sincear in his Request which we think well of being Granted all which we submit to the Monthly Meeting.

To the Next Monthly Meeting to be held
at Hopkington 1 Day of the 11 mo 1802

John Wilbur
Joseph Collins
Dorkis Weaver
- - - - - - - - Sarah Wilbur

whereupon this Meeting unites with ~~the~~ Mens Meeting in admiting him into Membership with us This Meeting is inform that the Representatives attended the Quarterly Meeting agreed to Appointment

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 29 of 11 Mo 1802 The Accounts from the the several Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representat therein Named are for Southkingston Deborah Rodman and Mercy Peckham & for Hopkington Bathsheba Collins and Mary Collins being Called all Present except Deborah Rhodman who this Meeting is informed was Prevented attending by indisposition of Body

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12 Mo 27. 1802 the Accounts from the Sevral Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives therein Named are for Southkingston Mercy Peckham and Susanna Knowles for Hopking ton Catherine Kenyon and Sarah Wilbu being Called all Prefant the Queries ware Red in this Meeting and Answers to the first second and twelth agreed on and an Account Prepared and Directed to be forwarded by our Representatives who are Hannah Knowles and Sarah Wilbur Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Joshua Gardner and Dorkis Cross Proposes to Lay their Intentions of Mariage before this Meeting accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and Declared their Intentions of of takeing Eachother in Marriage and Likewise Produced their Parents Consent where upon this Meeting appoints Dorkis Weaver and Anna Wilbur to make the Necessary enquirey Respecting her Clearness and Report to our next Monthly Meeting This Meeting is informed that Part of the Overseers that

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1 Mo 31 1803 The Accounts from the several Preparative Meeting being Presented the Representatives therein named are for Southkingston Esther Knowles and Avis Knowles for Hopkington Bathshebe Collins and Anna Wilbur Being Called all present except Bathshebe Collins who sent A Reasonable Excuse for her absence This Meeting is informed that one of the Representatives attended the Quarterly Meeting the other was Prevented by Sikness in her family The Friends that ware appointed to make the Necessary Enquirey Respecting the Clearness of Dorkis Cross report that they find nothing To hinder. Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared they Continued their Intentions of Marriage which being taken Notice of they are at Liberty to proceed by keeping to the good Orders Established among Friends Sarah Wilbur and Anna Wilbur are appointed to Attend the Solomnization of Said Marriage and Report to our next Monthly Meeting. This Meeting is informed that Mary Hazard wife of Rowland Hazard Desires to be admited into Membership with us whereupon this Meeting appoints Avis Knowles and Lucyanna to take A Salled Opportunity with her and Report to our Next Monthly Meeting Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Susanna Cole the 2d wife of Stephen Cole Requests to be admited into Membership with us where upon this Meeting Appoints ~~[illegible]~~ Anna Wilbur and Sarah Horsie to take A Soled Opportunity with her and Report to our next Monthly Meeting

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2 Mo 28 1803 the Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being Presented

The Repreſentatives their in Named are for Southkingston Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham for Hoppington Dorcas Weaver and Sarah Wilbur being called all Preſent the Committee that was appointed to see the Marriage of Joſhua Gardner and Dorcas Croſs Solumnized Report they think it Praty orderly Conducted The Committee that was appointed to take an Opportunity with Mary Hazard Report as followeth whereupon with the Unity of our Men Friends Admit her into Memberſhip with us. The Committee that was appointed to take An Opportunity with Susanna Cole Report as followeth — whereupon with the Unity of our Men Friends admit her into Memberſhip with us. Southkingston Preparative Meeting informs that Hannah Knowles proposes to Lay her Intentions of Marriage with John Knowles before this Meeting Accordingly they appear in this Meeting and declared their Intentions of Takeing each other in Marriage which being taken Notice of they are deſired to wate until another Month for an Anſwer they Likewiſe produced their Parents Concent Mercy Peckham and Lois Knowles are appointed to make the Neſesary enquirey Reſpecting the the Clearneſs of Hannah Knowles and Report to ~~our~~ next Monthly Meeting = — — — — — —

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 3d Month 28 = 1803 The Account from the several Preparitive Meetings being Preſented the Repreſentatives therein Named are for Southkingston Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkington Dorcas Gardner and Martha Kinyon being Called all preſent. The Committee that was Appointed to inquire into the clearneſs of Hannah Knowles report that they find nothing to hinder her from Proceeding. Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared they continued their Intentions of Marriage which being Taken Notice of they are at Liberty to proceed by keeping to the good Orders eſtabliſhed Among Friends. This Meeting appoints Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie to Attend the Solemnization of said Marriage Likewiſe the Houſe where they ~~retire~~ retire and Report to our next Monthly Meeting. The Queries ware Red in this Meeting and Anſwers thereto Agreed on and an Account prepared and directed to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Repreſenta who are Mercy Peckham and Anna Wilbur —

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 4 Mo: 25 - 1803 The Accounts from the Severel Preparitive Meetings being preſented the Repreſentatives their in Named are for Southkingston Deborah Rodman and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkington Catherine Kinyon and Suſannah Cole being Called all preſent. The Friends that ware appointed to Attend the Marriage of John Knowles and Hannah Knowles Report they think it Orderly Conducted. The Friends that ware appointed to attend our Laſt Quarterly Meeting informed they attended agreeable to Appointment. The appointing of A Clerk coming before this Meeting Mercy Peckham Jnr is appointed Clerk and Hannah Knowles aſsiſtant for the Year Enſuing

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston 5 Mo: 30 - 1803 The Accounts from the Several Preparative Meeting being Preſented the Repreſentatives there in Named are for Southkingston Mercy Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkington Sarah Browning and Sarah Wilbur being called all preſent Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Marcy Champlain Requests to be admited into Membership with us whare upon this Meeting appoints Sarah Browning and and Sarah Wilbur to take A Solid Oppertunity with her and Report to our next Monthly Meeting. The Commitee that was appointed to Visit Weſterly Meeting Report that they have Viſited said Meeting and think beſt that it be Discontinued and the Members thereof be anaxed to that at Hopkinton which this Meeting Concurs with.

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston, 6 Mo: 25 - 1803 the Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives there in Named are for ~~Hopkinton~~ Southkingston Sarah Hazard and Lucyanna Knowles. for Hopkinton Ruth Foster and Catherine Kinyon being called all present except Sarah Hazard who sent A Satisfactory Reason for her Absence The Commitee that was appointed to Take an Oppertunity with Marcy Champlin report they think well of her request being granted which this and the Mens Meeting Concurs with and Receive her into Membership with us. The Appointing of Overseers coming before this Meeting where upon this Meeting appoints Hannah Perry Dorcas Weavour Sarah Browning Catherine Kinyon Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham Overseers for the Year ensuing

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston 8Month 1 — 1803 The Accounts from the severel Preparative Meetings being Presented the Representatives there in named are of Southkington Esther Knowles and Sarah Horsie for Hopkington Anna Wilbur and Catherine Kinyon being Called all present. except Anna Wilbur which this Meeting is informed was Prevented attending by indisposition of Body. The Queries ware Red in this Meeting and Answers to the first second and Twelth agreed on and Account Prepared and Directed to be foward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representat who are Sarah Wilbur and Lucyanna Knowles. this Meeting is informed that Part of the Overseers met and Considered such Business as Came before them. This Meeting appoints Mary — Knowles an Overseers for the Year ensuing

South Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Mary Hazard ~~At A Monthly Meeting~~ of ~~[illegible]~~ Wife of Rowland Hazard Requests A Removal Certificate to RhodIsland Monthly Meeting where upon this Meeting appoints Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham to make the — Necessary enquirey and if they find nothing to hinder to present one to our next Monthly Meeting.

At A Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Southkingston 8Mo- 29 - 1803 The Accounts from the Severel Preparative Meeting being Presented the Representatives there in named are for Southkingston Hannah Perry and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Basthshebe Collins being Called all Present except Bathshebe Collins who this Meeting is informed was Prevented by Indisposition of Body. The Friends that ware appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting informed they attended agreeable to Appointment. The Committee that was appointed to Draw A Certificate for Mary Hazard have attended to the appointment and one ~~being~~ Presented for Rowland and Wife which being read is approaved and Signed by the Clerk of both Meetings —

We have Received extracts from our Yearly Meeting held on RhodIsland from the 12 of the 6th Mo - to the 15 of the same 1803 And Transcrips from London Philadelphia and Newyork Yearly Meetings which ware Red to our ~~[illegible]~~ Satisfaction and edification

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Frie
held at Hopkington 9 Mo 26 — 1803

The Accounts from the Severel Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives therein named are for So Kingsto Esther Knowles and Sarah Foxsie for Hopkington Lydia Wilb and Mary Collins being called all present. The Queries ware Red and Answers agreed on in this Meeting and an Account prepared and Directed to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Hannah Perry and Catherine Kinyon. Hopkington Preparitive Meeting informs that Othnial Foster and Eunice Browning propose to Lay their Intentions of Marriage before this Meeting accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and Declared thier Intentions of Takeing eachother in Marriage they Likewise produced their Parrents Concent whereupon this Meeting appoints — Darkis Weaver and Marry Collins to inquire into ~~the~~ Eunice Browning clearneſs Reſpecting Marriage Engagements and Report to our next Monthly Meeting this Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered such Buſineſs as came before them. Hopkington Preparitive Meeting informs that John Weaver and Lydia Rathbun proposes to Lay their Intentions of Marriage before this Meeting accordingly — they appeared in this Meeting and Declared theirs Intentions of Taking each other in Marriag whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah Wilbur and Catherine Kinyon to inquire into Lydia Rathburs Clearneſs reſpecting Marriage — Ingagements and Report to our next Monthly Meeting

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10 Mo 31st 1803. The Accounts from the Severel — preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives therein named are for Southkingston Mercy Peckham and Avis Knowles for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur and Bathshebe Collins being called all Present The Friends that ware Appointed to Attend the Quarterly Meeting informs that one attended agreeable to Appointment the other was Prevented Attending by indisposition of Body. The Friends that ware appointed to inquire into ~~the~~ Unice Brownings clearneſs Respecting Marriageingagements Reports that they find nothing to hinder her from Proceeding Accordingly they appeared in this — Meeting and Declared they Continued their Intentions of Marriage wheareupon this Meeting appoints Anna Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur to Attend the — Solomnization of their said Marriage and Report to our next Monthly Meeting. The friends that ware appointed to inquire into Lydia Rathbun Clearnſ Reſpecting Marriageingagements Report that they find nothing to hinder her from Proceeding accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and Declared they Continued their Intentions of Marriage whereupon

This Meeting appoints Hannah Sheffield and Sarah Hoxsie to Attend the Solomnization of their said Marriag Likewise the House where they Retire and Report to our next Monthly Meeting - - - -

Hopkinton preparitive Meeting informs that Woodman Wilbur and Catherine Kinyon proposes to Lay their Intentions of Marriage before this Meeting Accordinly they appeared in this Meeting and declared their Intentio of Takeing eachother in Marriag. They Likewise Produced their Parents Conse in Riteing where upon this Meeting appoints Sarah Browning and Susan Cole to inquire into the Clearness of Catherine Kinyon Respecting Marriage Ingagements and Report to our next Monthly Meeting. - - - -

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 11 Mo. 28 - 1803 The Accounts from the Several preparitiv Meetings being Presented the Representatives theirin Named are for Southkingston Lucyanna Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkington Thankful Collins and Lydia Wilbur being called all present the friends that ware appointed to see the Marriag of Othinial Foster and Unice - Browning Solomnized Report they think it in a good Degree orderly condu The Friends that ware appointed to see the Marriage of John H Weavour and Lydia Rathbun Solomnized Report they think it in A good Degree orderly Conducted. The friends that ware appointed to Inquire into the Clearness of Catherine Kinyons Clearness Respecting Marriage Ingagements Report that they find nothing to hinder her from Proceeding According ly they Appeared in this Meeting and declared they Continued their Intentions of Takeing eachother in Marriage where upon this Meeting appoints Dorkas Weavour and Bathshebe Collins to Attend ~~the~~ said Marriage Likewise the Hous where they Retire and Report to our next Monthly Meeting.

Hopkington preparitive Meeting Informs that Sarah Collins Dangtor of Jabish Collins desires to be admited into Membership with us she Likewise appeared in this Meeting and Continued her Request where upon this Meeting appoints Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie to take A Soled opportunity with her and Report to our next Monthley Meeting. Southkingston Preparitive Meeting informs that Elizabeth Hazard widow of Thomas Hazard deceased has Removed within the Verge of RhodIsland Monthly Meeting and Requests A Certificate whereupon this Meeting appoints Avis Knowles and Mercy Peckham to make the necessary inquirey and if they find nathing to hinder to present one to our next Monthly Meeting.

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12 Mo. 26 - 1803 The Accounts from the Severil preparit Meetings being Presented the Representatives theirin Named are for Southkingston Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham for Hopkington Hannah Sheffield and Anny Wilbur being called Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham Present

The Queries ware red in this Meeting and Answers to the first Second and Twelvth agreed on in this Meeting and an Account prepared and directed to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Mercy Peckham and Sarah Wilbur.

The Friends that ware appointed to see the Marriage of Woodman Wilbur and Catherine Shinyon Solemnized Report they think it in A good degree orderly Conducted. The Friends that ware appointed to take A Solid opportunity with Sarah Collins Report that they have attended to their appointment and Think well of her Request being granted her whereupon with the Unity of our Men Friends she is admited into Membership with us.

The Committee that was appointed to Draw A Certificate for Elizabeth Hazard widow of Thomas Hazard Deceased have presented one which was Red approved and Signed by the Clerk and She directed to Recorded ~~the same~~ an forward the same which is as followeth

From South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 26 the 12 Mo 1803 To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends on Rhod Island ~ Beloved Friends theas are to ~~Certify~~ Inform that Elizabeth Hazard widow of Thomas Hazard Deceased hath Removed to Reside within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate Theas may Certify that she is A Member~~ship~~ of our Monthly Meeting and her Outward affairs Settled as far as appears to Satisfaction we therefore Recommend her to your Christian Care with desires for her furtherance in the Truth
Signed in and By directions of our said Meeting

By Mercy Peckham Jur Clerk

This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered such business as came before them

At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1 Month 30 1804 The Accounts from the Several Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives their in named are for South Kingston Mary Knowles and Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Catherine Wilbur and Hannah Sheffield being called all present

The Friends that ware appointed to attend our Last Quarterly Meeting informs that they attended agreeable to Appointment

The Representatives that ware appointed to attend our Last Monthly Meeting gave A Reasonable excuse for their Absence. Hopkinton Preparitive informs that Lydia Weavour Wife of John Weaver is About to Remove with her Husband within the Verge of Perquamons Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate whereupon we appoint Sarah Wilbur and Catherine Wilbur

The Friends that ware appointed to prepare A Certificate for Lydia Weaver wife of John Weaver informs that they have attended to their appointment and one being presented for him and wife was read approved and Signed by the Clerks of both Meetings attender of our Meetings and on enquiry do not find but that She has Settled her Outward Affairs to Satisfaction as such we Recommend her to your Christian Care and Oversight with Desires for her Preservation and Groth in the Truth

Signed in and by Directions of said Meeting

By Mercy Peckham Clerk

The Friends that ware appointed to make the necessary enquirey Respecting Elizabeth Kinyon's Clearness Respecting Marriage engagements Report that they find nothing to hinder her from Proceeding in Marriage with Joshua Hoxsie Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and Declared they Continued their Intentions of takeing each other in Marriage where upon this Meeting appoints Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie to Attend the Solomnization of their said Marriage Likewise the Hous where they Retire and Report to our next Monthly Meeting The Queries ware Red in this Meeting and Answers there to agreed on and an Account Prepared and Directed to be forwarded to our next Quarterley Meeting by our Representatives who are Hannah Perry Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Wilbur This Meeting is informed that Abigail Sheffield has Removed to Sawden without A Certificate where upon we appoint Hannah Perry and Mercy Peckham to make the Necessary enquirey and if they find nothing to hinder to Prepare one and Present to our next Monthly Meeting. This Meeting is informed that Anna Collins and Lydia Weaver is About to Remove within the Compass of Nine partners Monthly Meeting and Request our Certificate where upon we appoint Hannah Sheffield and Mary Collins to make the Necessary enquiry and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare and present them to our next Monthly Meeting

This Meeting is informed that Part of the Overseers met and Considered of such Business as came Before theem

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 4 Mo 30 1802 The Accounts from the Several Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives therin named are for South Kingston Avis Knowles and Sarah Congdon for Hapkington Sarah Wilbur and Susannah Cole Being called all present except Sarah Wilbur who this Meeting is informed was prevented attending by indisposition of Body. The Friends that ware appointed to ~~att~~ see the Marriag of Joshua Hoxsie and Elizabeth Kinyon Solomnized Report that they think it orderly Conducted

The Friends that ware appointed to Attend our Last Quarterly Meeting informs that they all attended Agreeable to Appointment except Hannah Perry who sent A Reasonable excuse for her Absence to make the necessary Enquiry and if they find nothing to hinder to Prepare one and Present to our next Monthly Meeting — —

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women —

Friends held at Richmond 2 Mo: 26 – 1804 The Accounts from the Sever Preparitive Meetings being Presented the Representatives their in Names are for So: Kingston Lucyanna Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkin Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur. Sarah Hoxsie present the Others ware Prevented by the extream Difficulty of Traverling. South Kingston prepar itive Meeting informs that Mary Carpentor is About to Remove within the Compass of East Greenwich Monthley Meeting and Requests our Certificate where upon this Meeting appoints Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie to make the necessary enquirey and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one and Present one to our next Monthly Meeting —

Hopkinton Preparitive Meeting informs that Joshua Hoxsie and Elizabeth Kinyon proposes to Lay their Intentions of Marriage before this Meeting Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and Declared their Intentions of Takeing each other in Marriage She Likewise Produced her Parents Concent in Riteing whereupon this Meeting appoin Mary Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to inquire in to Elizabeth Kinyon's Clearness Respecting Marriage ingagements and Report to our next Monthley Meeting

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held

at Richmond 3d Mo: 26 – 1804 The Accounts from the Severel Preparit Meetings being Presented the Representatives therin Named are for South Kingston Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham for Hopkington Bathsheba Collins and Catherine Wilbur being called all Present — — The Friends that ware appointed to prepare A Certificate for Mary Carpenter has Attended to that Business and prepared one which was Read approved and Signed by the Clerk and She Directed to Record and forward the same which is as followeth — —

From South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends he at Richmond 3 Mo. 26 – 1804 To the Monthly Meeting at East Greenwich Dear Friends

Theas may inform that Mary Carpentor is About to Remove to Live within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate — Now theas are to Certify on her behalf that she is A Mem of your Monthly Meeting and for the most part A pretty Diligent

The Friends that ware appointed to prepare A~~l~~ Certificate for Abigail Sheffield has made enquiry and have not found to what Monthly Meet She has Removed too whereupon it Refurd untill Another Month under the Care of the same Committee. The friends that ware appointed to prepare Certificates for Anna Collins and Lydia Weaver have attended to their ~~ap~~ and Presented ~~them~~ which was Red approved and signed by the Clerk and She Directed to Record and forward the Same which ~~are~~ as followeth

From Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends Held at — Richmond 4 Mo 30 D 1804

To the Monthly Meeting of of Women Friends at The Nine Partners

Dear Friends Theas are to inform that Lydia Weaver A Member of our Monthly Meeting hath Removed to Reside within The Verge of your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate Therefore we Certify on her behalf that She is A Member of our Society and clear of Marriage Ingagements and has Settled her — Outward Affairs as ffar as appears as Such we Recommend her To your Christian care and Oversight Signed in and on behalf of said Meeting By Mercy Peckham for Clerk. —

From SouthKingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held At Richmond 4 Mo 30 D 1804

To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at The Nine Partners

Dear Friends

Anna Collins wife of Gifford Collins having Removed to Live within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate Theas may — therefore Certify on her behalf that She is A Member of our Monthly Meeting and of an orderly Life and Conversation As far as Appears as such we Recommend her to your — Christian Care and Oversight Signed in and on behalf of sd Meeting By Mercy Peckham for Clerk

The Appointing of A Clerk coming before this Meeting ~~and~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~Referred~~ it ~~[illegible]~~ is Refured untill another Month — —

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at [illegible]
[illegible] 26 1804 [illegible]
[illegible] the Representatives [illegible]
[illegible] for Hopkinton [illegible]
[illegible] Hoxie and Mercy Peckham [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] were appointed to prepare a Certificate [illegible]
Abigail Sheffield [illegible]
[illegible] by the Clerk [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at S Kingston
[illegible] 1804 to the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at
East [illegible]

Dear Friends
Abigail Sheffield having removed [illegible]
[illegible] within the Verge of your Meeting [illegible]
Certif [illegible] Certify [illegible]
Meeting [illegible]
Satisfaction and is clear of Marriage engagements [illegible]
as such we Recommend her to your Christian [illegible]
Signed in and on behalf of our Meeting [illegible]
By Mercy Peckham [illegible] Clerk

The appointing of a Clerk coming before this Meeting
Mercy Peckham Jur is Appointed Clerk and Elizabeth Hoxsie
Assistant Clerk for the Year ensuing

At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at [illegible]
[illegible] 1804 The Accounts from the several Preparative
Meetings being presented [illegible] Representatives [illegible]
for S Kingston Hannah Perry and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton
Maria Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur being called [illegible] present [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Knowles Mercy Peckham Catharine Knowles [illegible]
Hannah ~~Foster~~ Sheffield Ruth Foster and Sarah [illegible]
[illegible] Service for the year ensuing having [illegible]
[illegible] Friends therein

At A Monthly Meeting of women Friends held [illegible]
[illegible] 180[illegible] The Accounts from the several [illegible]
being Presented [illegible] Representatives [illegible]
[illegible] Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton [illegible]

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Sarah [illegible] and [illegible] being called all present

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Healy
is [illegible]
whereupon we appoint Sarah Hazard Sarah Hoxsie and Mary Peckh
to take the Necessary Care Respectin her

Mary Knowles and Lucyanna Knowles are appointed Overseers
for the year Ensuing

The Queries ware Read in this Meeting and Answers to the first
second and twelfth agreed on and an Account prepared and [illegible]
to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives
who are Lucyanna Knowles and Asa Knowle

This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and
Considered such business as came before them

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston
9 Mo 27 - 1804 The Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings
being presented the Representatives therein named are for
South Kingston Sarah Congdon and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton
Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Collins being called all Present
the Friends that ware appointed to take the Necessary Care Respecting
Elizabeth Healey not being ready to Report it is Refered under their
until another Month. This Meeting is informed that the Representatives
attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment. This Meeting is Likewise
informed that Elizabeth Hoxsie proposes to Lay her Intentions of Marriage
with Joshua Rathbun before this Meeting Accordingly they appeared in this
Meeting and declared their Intentions of Takeing eachother in Marriage
which this Meeting takes Notice of and Desires them to wate until
another Month for an Answer they Likewise Produced their Parents Concent
in Writeing Whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah Wilbur and Mercy Peckham
to Inquire into Elizabeth Hoxses Clearness Respecting Marriage and Report
to our next Monthly Meeting

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington
10 Mo 1 - 1804 The Accounts from the Several Preparative Meetings being
Presented the Representatives their in named are for South Kingston Sarah
Hoxsie and Elizabeth Sheffield for Hopkinton Lydia Wilbur and Mary Collins
being Called all Present except Sarah Hoxsie who sent A Satisfactory Reasons
for her absence. One of the Friends that was appointed to take the
Necessary Care Respecting Elizabeth Healey informs that she has performed
that Service. The Friends that ware appointed to Inquire into Elizabeth Hoxsie
Clearness Respecting Marriage Engagements Report that they find not anything
to hinder her from Proceeding in Marriage with Joshua Rathbun

Accordingly he appeared in this Meeting and declared he Continued his Intentions of Marriage she being ~~[illegible]~~ Prevented attending by Indisposit A Body there was A few Lines produced informing that she Likewise Continued her Intentions of Marriage with the said Joshua Rathbun — whereupon we appoint Mercy Peckham and Elizabeth Sheffield to — attend the Solomnization of their said Marriage Likewise the House whe they Retire and Report to our next Monthly Meeting

The Queries ware Read in this Meeting and Answers to the first secon and ~~twetvth~~ agreed on and an Account Prepared and Directed to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilbu and Mercy Peckham

Hopkington Preparative Meeting informd that Ruth Collins Proposses to Lay her Intentions of Marriage with John H Kinyon before this Meeting Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and Declared their Intentions of Taking eachother in Marriage which this Meeting Notice of and desires them to wate untill another Month for their Answer. they Likewise Produced their Parrents Concent in Riting whereupon this Meeting Appoints Sarah Wilbur and Anna Wilbur to Inquire in to Ruth Collins Clearness Respecting Marriag Ingagements and Report to our — next Monthly Meeting

At SouthKingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at — Hopkinton 10 Mo 27 — 1802. The Accounts from the Several Preparative Meetings being Presented the Representatives their in Named are for So Kingston Catherine Knowles and Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton — Hannah Collins and Mary Collins being called all Present —

Part of The Committee that was appointed to see the Marriage of — Joshua Rathbun and Elizabeth Hoxsie Solomnized Report that they think it was orderly Conducted. the Representatives informed this Meeting that they attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to Appointment The Comittee that was appointed to make the Necessary Inquirey into Ruth Collins Clearness Respecting Marriage Ingagements Report — that they find nothing to hinder her from Proceeding therein with — John H Kinyon. they appearing in this Meeting and Declared they Continued their Intentions of Marriage where upon we appoint Anna Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur to attend their said Marrage Likewise the House where they Retire and Report to our next Monthly Meeting

SouthKingston Preparative Meeting informed that Kate Babcock Wife of Caleb Babcock desires to be taken under the Care of friends she appeard in this Meeting and Continued her Request whereupon this Meeting appoints Sarah Hoxsie and Sarah Wilbur to take an Opportunity with her and Report to our next Monthly Meeting their sence of her fitness to become A Member of our Society

217 Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Dorcas Weaver Requests A Removal Certificate to Quemans Monthly Meeting for herself and Daughter whereupon this Meeting appoints Mary Collins and Catherine Wilbur to Make the Neceſsary inquirey and if they find nothing to hinder her from haveing one to Preſent an Eſsay to our next Monthly Meeting. We Received Extracts from our Laſt Yearly Meetings Minutes which was Read and is as followeth

We are informed from the Mens Meeting that it is Concluded The Introductory Recommendation Usually read preceeding the Queries may be omited in futer unleſs Circumſtances render it Neceſsary And that Women Friends in their Meetings need not read or answer that part of the 7th Query Reſpecting the payment of Priests Wages Bareing of Armes Training or Other Military Matters and that the following be the whole of the 9th Querie Viz: are friends careful to maintain our Teſtimony faithfully againſt Slavery —
Extracted from the Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting of Women Friends held at Portsmouth 8th Mo 9 — 1804

— By Abigail Arnold Clerk

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At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th Mo 26 — 1804 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meeting being preſented the Representatives therein named are for So Kingston Renewed Carpentor and Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Anna Wells and Sarah Collins being Called all Preſent — — — —
The Friends that ware appointed to see the Marriage of John H Kenyon and Ruth Collins Sollomnized Report that they think it in a good degree orderly Conducted. The Reſpecting Wait Babcock Refered until another Month under the Care of the same Committee the Friends that ware appoin to prepare A Certificate for Dorcas Weavour and Daughter have preſented one which was Read approved and signed by the Clerks of both Meetings and is as followeth From South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton the 11th Mo 26 — 1804 To Quemans Monthly Meeting in the State of Newyork Dear Friends Dorcas Weaver with her Daughter Dorcas A Child having Removed to Live at Brookfield within the Verge of your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate these are to Certify on their behalf that they are Members of our Monthly Meeting and She an Elder in good Esteem with us and by Enquirey it appears she has Settled her outward Affairs to Satisfaction and is clear of Marriage Engagements with us as such we Recommend them to your Christian Care and Oversight with Desires for their groth and Preservation in The Truth Signed in and on behalf of our said Meeting —

By Mercy Peckham } Clerks
John Wilbur

We have Received Epistles from London Philadelphia and Newyork which have been Read to our Encouragement and Edification This Meeting appoints Sarah Wilbur Mercy Peckham Jun and Mary Collins to take said Epistles and Read to such of our Members as are by Infirmity Deprived of attending our Meetings

At SouthKingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12 Mo 31–1804 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meeting being Presented the Representatives their in Named are for So Kingston Mercy Peckham and Sarah Congdon For Hopkington Mary Collins and Thankful Collins being Called all Present. The Friends that ware appointed to Visit Wait Babcock not being Ready to Report it is therefore Refured under their Care until another Month

The Queries ware read in this Meeting and Answers to the first Second and Twelfth Agreed on and an Account prepared and Directed to be forwarded to our next ~~Month~~ Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur This Meeting is informed that of the Overseers met and Conferred such Business as came before them. We have Received A Certificate from Philadelphia Monthly Meeting on behalf of James Robertson Wife and Children which being read in this Meeting was United with

At SouthKingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1 Mo 25–1805 No Account from SouthKingston preparitive Meeting Mary Collins and Sarah ware apponted appointed for Hopkinton Neither of them present the Meeting being very small Occasioned by A Very Severe Snow and Hail Storm We adjourn the Business to our next Monthly Meeting Sarah Hoxsie Clerk for the Day

At So Kingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 2 Mo 20–1805 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meeting being presented the Representatives their in Named are for South Kingston Sarah Hazard and Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Thankful Collins being call are all present Except Thankful Collins who was prevented attending by Sickness

The Account from So Kingston preparitive Meeting of last Month being presented to this Meeting the Representatives therein Named Are Mercy Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles who Inform that the Severity of the ~~Weather~~ Storm prevented them from Attending the Last Monthly Meeting Representatives from Hopkington ware Likewise prevented by the Storm.

The Committee that was appointed to take A Solid opportunity with Wait Babcock Report that they have attended to their Appointment and think well of her Request being granted her whereupon with the Unity of our Men Friends She is Admited into Membership with us

219 Was Received and read in this Meeting an Epistle from our Friend George Churchman bareing date 7th Mo 13 – 1804 which we hope will be profitably remembered by us – – – –

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmo 4th Mo 1 – 1805 The Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Lucyanna Kno and Sarah Congdon for hopkinton Mary Collins and Sarah Collins being Called are all present – – – – – –
The Queries ware read in this Meeting and Answers their too Agreed on and an Account prepared and Directed to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Lucyanna Knowles and Sarah Collins – –
A Proposition was made in this Meeting to Appoint Mary Collins to the Station of an Elder and having the Unity of our Men Friends it is United with. This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met
At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 4 M 29 – 1805 The Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presen the Representatives for South Kingston are Mary Nichols and Sarah Congdon for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Wilbur being Called are all present one of the Representatives informed this Meeting that she attended the Quarterly Meeting Agreeable to appointment – – –
A Reasonable Excuse was Rendered for Sarah Collins Absence – – –

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At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 5 Mo 27 – 1805 – – – – – – –
The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presen the Representatives for South Kingston are Mercy Peckham – and Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Sarah Wilbur being called are all present The appointing of A Clerk comeing before this Meeting Mercy Peckham Juni is again reapointed for the year Ensuing – – – – –

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 7th Mo 1 – 1805 – – – – – – –
The Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Mary Nicholds and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Collins being called are all present. The appointing of Overseers comeing before this Meeting Avis Knowles Mercy Peckham Lucyanna Knowles Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Sheffield Bathsheba Collins and Sarah Congdon are appointed to that Station for the year Ensuing having the Unity of our Men Friends therein

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At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 7th Mo: The Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Lucyanna Knowles and Mary Knowles For Hopkinton Catherine Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur being Called are all present except Catherine Wilbur. The Queries ware Read in this Meeting Answers thereto agreed on and an Account prepared and is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Mercy Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles. This meeting is informed that Martha K wife of Johnathan Kinyon has Removed to Unidilla within the Verge of Coemans monthly Meeting without A Certificate whereupon we appoint Mary Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to make the necessary Enquirey and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one and present to our next monthly Meeting This meeting appoints Sarah Browning Lyia Wilbur and Catherine Wilbur to the Station of Overseers for the year Ensueing having the Unity of our men friends therein

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 8th Mo 26 1805 The Accounts from the several preparatives Meetings being presented the Representatives therein named are for South Kingston Avis Knowles and Hannah Perry for Hopkinton Lydia Kinyon and Thankful Collins who being called are all present except Hannah Perry who sent A Reasonable Excuse for her absence The Representatives that ware appointed to attend our Last Quarterly Meeting informs they attended agreeable to appointment The friends that ware appointed to prepare A Certificate for Martha Kinyon have presented one which was Read approved and signed by the Clerks of both Meeting which is as followeth

From South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women friends in the State of RhodeIsland held the 26 of 8th Mo 1805

To Quemans monthly Meeting of Friends in the State of Newyork Dear Friends

Theas are to inform that Martha Kinyon Wife of Johnathan Kinyon hath removed to Brookfield in the Unidilla County within the Verge of your monthly Meeting. Theas are to Certify on her behalf that she is A member of our monthly Meeting as such we Recommend her to your Care and oversight

Signed in and by Directions of said meeting

By Mercy Peckham Junr
John Wilbur
Clerks

Hopkington preparitive meeting informd that the Select meeting Approves of the publick appearences in the ministry of Sarah Wilbur which after being duly wayed was feelingly United with having the Unity of our men friends therein and is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting Handed into this meeting A Coppy of A minute from East Greenwich monthly Meeting on behalf of Mary Carpenter which was read and is United with and the Clerk is directed to Record the Same We have recieved Extracts of Epistles from London Philadelphia and Newyork which have been read in this meeting to the Comfort and Edifications of many Minds

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9 Mo 30 - 1805 The Accounts from the Several preparitive meetings being presented the Representatives therein named are for South Kingston Mercy Peckham and Avis Knowles for Hopkinton Lydia Wilbur and Catherine Wilbur being Called are all present except Mercy Peckham who was prevented attending by Indisposition of Body - The Queries ware Read in this Meeting and Answers to the 3 severely answerd agreed on and an Account prepared and is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Mercy Peckham Jun and Thankful Collins we have recieved extracts of our Yearly Meeting Minutes which hath been Read and we desire that the exelent advice - theain contained may be proffitablely remembered by us - -- Hopkinton preparitive Meeting informs that Jeremiah Browning proposes to lay his Intentions of marriage before this meeting with Martha Foster Accordingly they appeared in this meeting and declared their Intentions of takeing eachother in marriage which this meeting takes notice off and desires them to wate until another month for an answer they Likewise produced their parents Concent in riteing we appoint Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur to make the Necessary enquirey Respecting Martha Fosters Clearness of marriage Ingagements and Report to our next monthly Meeting This meeting is informed that the Overseers ~~H~~ met and Considered such Business as came before them

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 10 Mo 28 - 1805 The Accounts from the Several -- preparitive meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Mercy Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton -- Mary Collins and Susanna Cole who being called are all present one of the Representatives that was appointed to attend -- -

our last Quarterly Meeting informed that she attended agreeable to appointment the other Rendered A Reasonable Excuse for her absence. The friends that were appointed to make the necessary Enquiry into ~~the~~ ~~[illegible]~~ Martha Fostors Clearness Respecting marriage Ingagements Report that they find nothing to hinder their proceeding. Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared they Continued their intentions of takeing each other in marriage which this Meeting takes notice of and Leaves them at Liberty to proceed in Marriage by Keeping to the Good Order established among friends. we appoint Hannah Perry and Sarah Wilbur to attend the Solemnization of their said marriage Likewise the House where they Retire and Report to our next monthly Meeting. Hopkinton preparitive Meeting informs that Christopher Healey Wife and Children are about to Remove within the Verge of Coemans monthly Meeting in the State of Newyork and Requests our Certificate we appoint Sarah Wilbur and Mary Collins to make the necessary Enquiry and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one and present to our next monthly Meeting. This Meeting is informed that Samuel Sheffield and Family are about to Remove within the Verge of Coemans monthly Meeting in the State of Newyork and Requests our Certificate we appoint Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham to make the necessary Enquiry and if they find nothing to to hinder to prepare one and present to our next monthly Meeting

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th Mo 25 – 1805 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Sarah Congdon and Mercy Peckham [illegible] for Hopkinton Lydia Wilbur and Mary Collins being called are all present The Friends that were appointed to see the Marriage of Jeremiah Browning the 5th and Martha Foster Solomnized Report that they think it in A good degree orderly Conducted. The friends that were appointed to prepare A Certificate for Christopher Healy Wife and Children have presented one which was Read approved and Signed by the Clerk of each Meeting. The Matter respecting Samuel Sheffield Wife and Daughter having A Certificate is Referred until another Month under the Care of the same Committee

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12 Mo: 30 - 1805 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Hannah Knowles & Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Sarah Wilbur being Called are all present except Catherine Knowles who sent A Reasonable excuse for her Absence. The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the first Second and twelfth agreed on and an Account prepared and is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie. This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered such Business as came before them. ——

The Friends that were appointed to prepare A Certificate for Samuel Sheffield Wife and Children have presented one which was Read approved and Signed by the Clerk of Each Meeting. ——

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1 Mo: 27 - 1806 The Account from Hopkinton preparitive Meeting being presented the Representatives therein named are Lydia Kinyon and Sarah Collins being called are ~~all~~ present no Account from South Kingston - - —

This Meeting is informed that it was not Attended by Reason of A Severe Storm The Representatives that were appointed to Attend our Last Quarterly Meeting informed that they attended agreeable to appointment - - —

Sarah Hoxsie informed this Meeting She had A prospect of paying A Visit to her Children at Verona in the State of Newyork and Desires A few Lines by way of Certificate. Theas are there for to Certify on her behalf that She is A Member ~~and~~ of this Meeting and an Elder in good Esteem among us. The Clerk is Directed to give her A Coppy of this minute

Hannah Knowles Clk for the Day

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2 Mo: 24 - 1806 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meetings Being — presented the Representatives for South Kingston are ~~A~~ Esther Knowles And Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Hannah Collins and Bathsheba Collins being called are all present except Esther Knowles who sent Sent A Satisfactiory Reason for her absence.

South Kingston preparitive Meeting informs that Lucyanna Knowles is proposed to be appointed to the Station of an Elder which this Meeting unites with Having the Unity of our Fellowship ~~the~~ Friends therein which is to be sent up to our next Quarterly Meeting for their approbation

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at ~~[illegible]~~ Richmond 3 Mo: 31 - 1806 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented The Representatives for So. Kingston are — Mercy Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Thankful — Collins and Sarah Collins who being called are all present

The Queries were Read in this Meeting and Answers there to agreed on and an Account prepared and directed to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Collins and Mercy Peckham - This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and considered such Business as came before them - Our beloved Friend Abigail Robinson attended this Meeting whose Company and Gospel Labours we hope will be Propftitably be Remembered by us

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 4 Mo 28 - 1806 The accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Sarah Congdon and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Martha Browning and Lydia Wilbur being called are all present - The friends that were appointed to attend our Last Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at and for So Kingston 5 Mo 26 - 1806 The accounts from the Several preparitive Meeting being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are Sarah Hoxsie and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur and Hannah Collins being called are all present except Anna Wilbur Who was prevented attending by Indisposition in her Family - This Meeting is informed that Avis Knowles has removed with her Children namely Joannah Sarah and John within the Compass of Rhode Island monthly Meeting and Requests our Certificate we appoint Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie to make the Necessary enquiry if they find nothing to hinder to prepare One and present to our next monthly Meeting - - - The appointing of A Clerk Comeing before this meeting it is Refured until an other month

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 6 Mo 30 - 1806

The Accounts from the several preparitives Meeting being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are Elizabeth Rathbun and - Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur and Sarah Collins being called are all present The Friends that were appointed to prepare A Certificate for Avis Knowles and Children have produced one which was read approved and Signed by the Clerk of each - Meeting and is as followeth

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From South Kingston monthly Meeting of ~~Women~~ Friends held 30 of 6 M

To the monthley Meeting of Friends on Rhode Island — —

Dear Friends

— — Whereas Avis Knowles hath Removed to Live within the Com of your monthly Meeting with her three Children namely Joanna Sarah and John who are minors hath requested A few Lines by way of Certificate theas are to Certify that the said Avis and Children are Members of monthley Meeting and on Enquirey do not find but that She hath settled her outward affairs to Satisfaction and clear of marriage Ingagements amongst us as such we Recommend them to your Christian Care with desires for their Preservation and growth in the Trut Signed in and by direction of our said Meeting

by John Wilbur } Clks
Mercy Peckham Jun

The appointing of A Clerk being Revived in this Meeting Mercy Peckham Jun is again reappointed for the year Ensewing — —
The appointing of Overseers Comeing before this Meeting we appoint Mary Collins Lydia Wilbur Anna Wilbur Lucyanna Knowles Mercy Peckham Hannah Perry and Mary Knowles to that Station for the year ensewing having the Unity of our men friends therein —

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 7 Mo 28 – 1806
The Accounts from the several preparitive meetings being produced the Representatives for Southkingston are Sarah Horsie and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Susanna Cole and Sarah Wilbur being called are all present. The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the first Second and tweloth agreed on and an Accompt prepared and is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilbur and Hannah Collins ——
This Meeting is informed that Burden Rathbun requests A few Lines by way of Certificate to Greenwich monthly Meeting for his Daughter Sarah Rathbun. The Clerk is Directed to prepare one and present to our next monthly Meeting. This meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met — —

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at So Kingston 9 Mo first Day 1806 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meeting being produced the Representatives for So Kingston are Hannah Knowles and Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and

Thankful Collins being called are all present. The friends that were
appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform they attended
agreeable to appointment A Certificate for Sarah Rathbun being prod
was read approved and Signed by the Clerk and is as followeth ——

From Southkingston monthly meeting of friends held 9 Mo 1806
To the monthly meeting of friends at East Greenwich ——

Dear Friends

Whereas Sarah Rathbun minor Daughter of Burden Rathbun
hath Removed within the Compass of your monthly Meeting. these are
to Certify in her behalf that she is A Member of our monthly Meeting
as such we Recommend her to your Christian Care and Oversight with
desires for her preservation and groth in the Truth, Signed in and
by direction of said Meeting by Hannah Knowles Clk for the day

We have Received Epistles from Phildelphia and newyork Likewise
Extract from our yearly Meeting Minutes which was read and we hope
the Seasonable advice therein Contained will be Profitablely Remembered
by us Recieved extracts from our Quarterly Meeting Minute which is
as followeth From our Quarterly Meeting of Women friends held at
Portsmouth for Rhode Island The 7 of the 8 Month 1806 —

To the monthly Meeting of friends at Southkingston —
It is agreed that in future our Quarterly Meetings be held in the
following order, at Swansey in the Eleventh month, at Providence
in the 2 month, at East Greenwich in the 5 month and at
Portsmouth the eigth month, on the first fifth day in each month
the Clerk is directed to furnish this information to the several
monthly Meetings Composing this Quarter. Extracted from the
minutes agreeable to direction and signed on behalf of the same
by Mary Williams Clerk for thes Time ——

Bathsheba Collins informed this Meeting she had A prospect of
Visiting her Children in the State of new york and Desires a Coppy
of this minute these may Certify that she is A member of our
monthly Meeting and in good esteem with us the Clerk is Directed
to furnish her with a Coppy of this minute extracted from said
minute ~~ext~~ ~~by~~ of Southkingston monthly Meeting held the
first of the 9 Mo 1806 and signed on behalf of the same by Hannah Knowles Clk for the day

At Southkingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held
at Hopkinton 9 Mo 29 1806

The Accounts from the several preparatives meetings being produced
the Representatives for South Kingston are Renewed Carpender
and Elizabeth Knowles for Hopkinton Susanna Colls and Hannah

Collins who being called are all present —
Hopkinton preparitive Meeting informs that Susanna Collins Daughter of Jabez Collins desires to be admited into membership with us we appoint Sarah Hoxsie and Mary Collins to take an oppertunity with her and report to the next monthly Meeting

At So Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10 Mo 27 1806

The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meetings being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham — for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Sarah Collins being called are all present. The Friends that were appointed to take an Oppertunity with Susanna Collins report that they have attended to theire appointment and think well of her Request being granted her whereupon she is admited into membership with us having the Unity of our Men Friends therein. Hopkinton preparitive Meeting informs that Dinah Collins Daughter of Jabez Collins Desires to be admited into Membership with us. we appoint Lucyanna Knowles and Sarah Wilbur to take A Soled oppertunity with her and Report to our next monthly Meeting. The Queries were Read in this Meeting and Answers thereto A Agreed on and an Account prepared which is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Collins and — Sarah Wilbur. This meeting is informed that part of the Oversers met and Considered such Busines as came before them.

At So Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 12 Mo 1 — 1806 —

The accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being produced the Representatives for So Kingston are Lucyanna Knowles and Deborah Rodman for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Sarah Collins being called are all present. The Committee that was appointed to take an — Oppertunity with Dinah Collins Report they have attended to there appointment and think well of her Request being granted her where upon she is admited into membership with us having the Unity of our Men Friends therein. The Representatives that were appointed to attend our Quarterly Meeting Report they attended agreeable to appointment

At So Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12 Mo 29 - 1806 The Account from the Several preparitive Meetings being produced; the Representatives for So Kingston are Mary Nicholds and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Anna Wilbur being called are all present Handed into this Meeting an Acknowledgement on behalf of Elizabeth Woodward which being Read and [illegible] considered was united with and She again Restored to Membership with us —

having the Unity of our Men friends their in

A Certificate on behalf of Elizabeth Woodward was drawn in this Meeting which being Read was approved and Signed by the Clerk of each Meeting which is as followeth the Clerk is to Record and forward the same

From South Kingston monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Richmond State of Rhode Island 12 Mo 29 — 1806

To the monthly Meeting of Friends at Purchase in the State of newyork

Dear Friends

Thease are to inform that Elizabeth Woodward wife of Thomas Woodward hath removed to Bridgeport within the Compass of your monthly Monthly; and Requests our Certificate thease are to Certify on her behalf that she is a Member of our monthly Meeting. As such we Reccommend her to your Christian Care and oversight with desires for her groath and preservation in the Truth —— John Wilbur Clk

Signed in and on behalf of said Meeting By — Mercy Peckham Jr Clk

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 1st Mo 26 — 1807 The Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are Catherine Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Dinah Collins and Thankful Collins being called are all present The Queries — were Read in this Meeting and Answers to the first Second and twelth agreed on and an Account prepared and is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Hoxsie and Mercy Peckham Jr This Meeting is informed that Joseph Congdon proposses to lay his Intentions of Marriage with Deborah Rodman before this Meeting Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of takeing eachother in Marriage which this Meeting takes notice of and Refurs them to our Men friends — her parents Consent was Likewise produced. we appoint Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie to inquire into the Conversation and Clearness of Deborah Rhodman respecting Marriage and Report to our next monthly Meeting ——

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At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2 Mo 20 - 1807 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meeting being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are Lucyanna Knowles and Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Lydia Kinyon and Hannah Collins - being called are all present - The friends that were appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment - - - - The friends that were appointed to inquire into the Conversation and clearness of Deborah Rhodman respecting marriage Ingagement report that they find nothing to hinder her from proceeding in marriage with Joseph Congdon Accordingly they appeared in this meeting and Declared they Continued their Intentions of marriage which being taken Notice of they are Refared to the Men friends for an Answer Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie are appointed to Attend the Solumnization of their said marriage and Report to our next monthly Meeting. - The Men friends informed this meeting that they appr of the Publick appearences in the ministry of Peter Hoxsie after being wately Considered was united with. Hopkinton preparitive Meeting informs that Hannah Sheffield requests A Removal Certificate to Greenwich monthly — Meeting - Mary Collins and Lydia Wilbur are appointed to make the — Necessary Enquirey and if they nothing to hinder to prepare one and Present to our next monthly Meeting - — — — - - -

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 3 Mo 30 - 1807 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meetings being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are - - Catherine Knowles and Hannah Hazard for Hopkinton Anne Wilbur - - and Sarah Collins being called are all present except Anna Wilbur — one of the friends that was appointed to ~~attend the Solumnization of Joseph Congdon~~ see the marriage of Joseph Congdon and Deborah — Rodman Solumnized Report they think it in Agood degree orderly, Conducted. The friends that were appointed to prepare A Certificate for Hannah Sheffeild not being ready to Report it is Refured until another month - - - - — — — —

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 4 Mo 27 - 1807 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meetings being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are Sarah Hoxie and Mercy Peckham for for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur and Mary Collins being called are all present, except Anna Wilbur who was prevented attending by Indisposition. The Friends that were appointed to prepare A Certificate for Hannah Sheffield have presented one which was Read approved and Signed by the Clerk and is as followeth The Clerk is directed to Record and forward the Same

From South Kingston monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 4 Mo 27 - 1807 To Greenwich monthly Meeting

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Dear Friends

Hannah Sheffield having removed to Wickford within the Compass of your monthly Meeting, and requests our Certificate these are to Certify on her behalf, that She is A Member of our monthly Meeting of an orderly Life and Conversation whilst with us and clear of Marriage Engagements as far as appears and her outward affairs are settled to Satisfaction As such we Reccommend her to your Care and oversight

Signed in and on behalf of said Meeting

By Mercy Peckham for [illegible] Clerk

SouthKingston preparitive Meeting informs that Mary Carpenter hath gone to Reside within the limits of East Greenwich monthly Meeting and Requests A Coppy of A Minute, these are therefore to Certify on her behalf that She is A Member of our monthly Meeting the Clerk is directed to forward her A Coppy of this Minute. Extracted from the Minute of SouthKingston monthly Meeting held at Richmond 4 Mo 27 - 1807 and signed on behalf of the same by Mercy Peckham for Clk —

The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on and an Account prepared which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting — by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilbur and Lucyanna Knowles —

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at SouthKingston 6 Mo 1 1807 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for SouthKingston are Catherine Knowles and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Collins being called are all present.

Received A Certificate from Summerset monthly Meeting held at Swansey 5 Mo 4 - 1807 on behalf of Sophia Sisson wife of James Sisson

At our monthly Meeting of women Friends held at SouthKingston 6 Mo 29 1807 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for SouthKingston are Sarah Hoxsie and Elizabeth Knowles for Hopkinton Lydia Kenyon and Susanna Collins being called are all present. SouthKingston preparitive Meeting informs that Anne Carpenter wife of James Carpenter desires that her Daughter Deborah R Carpenter should be taken under the Care of friends. which we Refer until another month. The Appointing of Overseers coming before this meeting ~~we apt~~ Anna Wilbur Mary Collins Lydia Wilbur Lucyanna Knowles Deborah Congdon Hannah Perry and Wait Babcock are appointed to that Station for the year Ensuing having the Unity of our men friends therein

This meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered such business as came before them; Mercy Peckham jr Informed this meeting that the time had Expired for which she was appointed Clerk. She is Reappointed to that Service for the year Ensuing

At Our monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at SouthKingston 7th Mo 27 - 1807 The Accounts from the several — preparitive meetings being presented the Representatives for So Kingston are Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Hannah Collins and Bathshebe Kenyon being called are all present. The Queries — were read in this Meeting and Answers to the three Yearly answers agreed on and an Account prepared; which is to be forwarded to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Mercy Peckham jr and Deborah Congdon. The matter respecting Deborah R Carpenter being admitted into membership with us being Revived in this Meeting Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie are appointed to make the Necessary Inquirey and Report to our next monthly Meeting — — — — — —

At our monthly Meeting of Women friends held at SouthKingston 8Mo 31 - 1807 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for SouthKingston are Sarah Congdon and Ann Carpenter for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Mary Collins being called are all present The friends that were appointed to ~~make the~~ attend our Last Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment The Committee appointed to visit Ann Carpenter and Daughter, report as followeth According to appointment we have had an Opportunity with Ann Carpenter respecting her request and think well of receiving her Daughter Deborah R Carpenter A Member — which we submit to the monthly Meeting next to be held at — South Kingston 8Mo 31 - 1807 William Peckham Sarah Wilbur Sarah Hoxs and Johnathan Babcock which being approved — with the Unity of our men friends she is admitted into membership with us — Received extracts of Epistles from London Philadelphia and New-york which have been read in this Meeting to the Comfort of some of our Minds — —

At SouthKingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 9Mo 28 - 1807 The accounts from the several preparit Meetings being presented the Representatives for SouthKingston are Sarah Hoxsie and Catherine Knowles for Hopkinton Susanna

Cole and Lydia Wilbur being Called are all present Hopkinton — Preparitive meeting informs that Deborah Collins proposses to lay her intentions of Marriage with Peter Collins before this Meeting Accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of takeing eachother in marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and Refers them to our men friends they likewise produced their parents Concent in writing we appoint Anne Wilbur and Susannah Cole to ~~[illegible]~~ to in quire into the Conversation and Clearness of Deborah Collins Respecting marriage Ingagements and Report to our next monthly Meeting

At SouthKingston monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkint 10 Mo 26 — 1807 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being produced the Representatives for So Kingston are Mercy Peckham and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Hannah Collins and Bathsheba Kinyon being called are all present. The friends that were appointed to inquire into the Conversation and clearness of Deborah Collins Respecting marriage Ingagements, Report that they find nothing to hinder her from proceeding in Marriage with Peter Collins, Accordingly they appeared in this meeting and declared they continued their Intentions of Marriage, which this meeting takes knotice of and refers them to our men friends for an answer, we appoint Susannah Cole — and Anne Wilbur to attend the Sollamnization of their said Marriage Likewise the House where they retire and Report to our next monthly Meeting, The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the three usuly answered agreed on and an Account — prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting By our Representatives who are Sarah Collins Mary Collins and Mercy Peckham SouthKingston preparitive Meeting informs that Catherine Knowles Daughter of Robert Knowles Son of John hath cept Company with one not of our Society in A very unchast Manner we appoint Mercy Peckham Jr to draw A Testimony of Denyal against her and present to our next monthly Meeting

At SouthKingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkin 11 Mo 30 1807 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for SouthKingston are Mary [illegible]

And Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Susanna Mary and Mercy Champl
being called are all present The Committee that was appointed to
attend the Marriage of Peper Collins and Deborah Collins Report that
according to their observation it was in A good Degree orderly conducted
The Representatives that were appointed to attend our last Quarterly
Meeting in Town they all attended agreeable to appointment —
The friend that was appointed to draw A Testimony of denial agains
Catherine Knowles presented one which was read approved and —
Signed by the Clerk and is as followeth

Whereas Catherine Knowles Daughter of Robert Knowles of John hath
had A rite of Membership in our Religious ~~but~~ Society but hath
6 Denial transgressed friends Rules - by keeping Company with one not ~~of~~
in ~~our~~ Membership with us - in A very unchast manner we therefore
deny her remaining any longer A Member of our Society until
she shall return and sincearly condemn her said transgression
given forth at our monthly Meeting of friends held at Hopkinton
for South Kingston 11 Mo. 30 - 1807 and signed on behalf of the same
by — — — Mary Collins Clerk for the Day —

This meeting appoints Sarah Hoxsie to see said denial read at
the Close of A first Day Meeting where she did belong and return
said denial to our next monthly Meeting — —

Was Received and read in this Meeting an Essay on the ~~qual~~
qualification and work of an Elder in the Church by our much
Esteemed friend and Minister Mary Mitchel; which excited in some
of our Minds A desire to be found ~~in the~~ comeing up in the —
fulfiling of that Station the Clerk is directed to Record the same
which is as followeth — signed by Mary Collins Clerk for the Day

The work of an Elder in the Church of Christ, appears to be A
very weighty, and not to be moved in, but as the mind is brought
under A right Concern and Influenced by that wisdom which gives A
right understanding in those things that belong to their office
to take the oversight of the flock, and to judge of the ministry
requires that such as are selected for those Services should
be well ~~and~~ grounded in religeon, and acquainted with the
mystery of Godliness; it requires a deep going down to feel after
the mind of truth in all their movements it requires clear
discerning and sound judgment; it requires deep humility A least
it requires the divine anointing and without a portion thereof

235 the duties of their offices cannot be discharged to the honour of tru
nor to the Edification of the Church. For without these qualifications they
are likely to err both in judgment and Conduct and their being set
forward in religious Society exposes them rather more to some peculiar
temptations, and I fear hath lifted some up to think more highly of
themselves than they ought. Where this is the case they are very
liable to err respecting the ground of Ministry; though they may
be capable to judge of words, whether they agree with sound doctrine
or not, but if they are not low, and humble in spirit with the
Lord minister, they cannot know from what spring the ministry flo
and for want of this knowledge they are likely to err in —
judgment and instead of helping forward the true Birth, —
become the means of stifling, or slaying it. And for want
~~of want~~ of clear discerning and sound judgment, they may err
by nursing a false Birth: and if there is not a dwelling in
deep humility there is danger of erring in Conduct and
instead of being examples to the Flock, they be lor
ding it over the Heritage. When I consider the weight and
Importance of the work confided to the Elders, this Query —
arises in my mind, "Who is sufficient for these things?"
In such weighty services, the sufficiency must be of God or
the Work cannot be rightly done. For without divine
perceptions, they cannot be qualified to discern, and give the
living Child to the right Mother. And if there is not wisdom
and ability to use the snuffers with judgment and discretion
they may extinguish the light, when they ought only to remove
that which obstructs its brightness, that it may shine with
greater clearness, ~~that~~. If the selection for this weighty service
is made in and by the Church* when under the divine
influence, no doubt but the right will be nominated, and
the lot rest upon the rightly qualified: and these abiding
in that which gives ability to labour in the Church of Christ
can speak a word in season to them that are ready to faint.
In looking over the advices of our yearly Meeting of Ministers —
and Elders in the 1785, I find the following lines which appear
to me ~~to be~~ worthy to be transcribed, and with which I close
this little Essay viz. "And when the Elders appointed to

[illegible] them and that the oversight of the [illegible] have faithfully followed the heavenly leadings, they have been as [illegible] and then to the ministry strengthening there hands to war ~~and~~ with the Enemies of [illegible] Christ, and leading the flock in their way from victory to victory over their enemies into the dominion of truth. [illegible] Month 1807 Mary Mitchell

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12 Mo. 28 - 1807 the Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for S Kingston are Lucyanna Knowles and Deborah Congdon for Hopkinton Dinah Collins and Mary Collins being called are all present. The Friend that was appointed to see the Denial of Catherine Knowles read hath performed that Service and returned said Denial to this meeting the Clerk is to Record the same this Meeting adjourns to the second before the last fifth Day in the first month on account of its interfering with the Quarterly Meeting - Mercy Peckham jr Clerk

At S Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1 Mo. 25 - 1808 the Accounts from the several Preparitive Meetings being produced the Representatives for S Kingston are Mercy Peckham jr and Esther Knowles for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Lydia Kenyon being called are all present. The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to them [illegible] answered agreed on and an Account Prepared which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our representatives who are Sarah Collins Susan Wilbur and Bathsheba Kenyon, this Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered such business as came before them —

At S Kingston monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 2 Mo. 29 1808 the Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being produced the representatives for S Kingston are Lucyanna Knowles and Esther Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Anna Wilbur being called are all present except Anna Wilbur who this Meeting is informed was prevented by indisposition of body. One of the friends

appointed to attend our Last Quarterly Meeting informed tha
they all attended agreeable to appoint and delivered the Account w
the Answers - Mercy Peckham jur Cl

At SouthKingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held a
Richmond 8th Mo. 20 - 1800 the Accounts from the Several preparati
Meetings being presented the Representatives for SouthKingston
are Sarah Hoxsie and Dorcas Peckham for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbu
and Sarah Collins being called are all present except Dorcas
Peckham who sent A Reasonable excuse for her absence
Mercy Peckham j

At SouthKingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at
Richmond 9th Mo. 25 - 1800 the Accounts from the Several preparative
Meetings being produced the Representatives for SouthKingston are
Esther Knowles and Mercy Peckham jur for Hopkinton Hannah -
Collins and Anne Wilbur being called are all present
The Queries were read in this Meeting ~~from which~~ and Answers
thereto agreed on and an Account prepared which we are to -
forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who -
are Mercy Peckham jur and Hannah Collins. Concluded by our
last Quarterly Meeting that the following alteration in holding
our monthly Meeting - viz that in futer it be held ~~on the~~ -
on the Second day before the last fifth day in each Month
SouthKingston preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth
Hoxsie daughter of Barna Hoxsie is keeping Company with one
not of our Society on account of Marriage; and being Laboured
with ~~and~~ appeared not of A disposition to desist. Sarah Hoxsie
and Lucyanna Knowles are appointed to draw A Testimony of -
Denial against her and present to our next monthly Meeting
This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and
Considered such Business as came before them Mercy Peckham jur Clerk

At our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at SouthKingston
10th Mo. 27 - 1800 The Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being
presented the representatives for SouthKingston are Lucyanna Knowles and
Dorcas Peckham for Hopkinton Lydia Kenyon and Sarah Collins being
called are all present the representatives that were appointed to
attend our Last Quarterly Meeting informed that they attended -
agreeable to appointment and delivered the Account with the Answers
the friends that were appointed to draw a Testimony of denial
against Elizabeth Hoxsie ~~having~~ having not produced one it is refurr
~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ under their Care until another month

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At A Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingstown the 6th
1800 the Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being produced
the representatives for Southkingstown are Edith Hoxsie and Mercy
Peckham for Hopkinton Bathsheba Kenyon and Bathsheba Congdon
being called are all present A testimony of Denial against
Elizabeth Hoxsie was drawn in this Meeting which being read
was approved and signed by the Clerk. Edith Knowles is
appointed to see said Denial read at the Close of A first Day
Meeting where she did belong and return said Denial to our
next monthly Meeting. the appointing of Overseers coming
before this Meeting Mercy Peckham Sarah Collins Lucyanna
Knowles Thankful Collins Mercy Peckham jun and Edith Hoxsie
are appointed to that ~~Station~~ Service for the year Ensuing
having the unity of our men friends therein

Mercy Peckham jun informed this Meeting that the time had expired
for which she was appointed Clerk. She is again reappointed
to that Service for the Year ensuing

Handed into this meeting A Certificate from Rhode Island
monthly Meeting held at Portsmouth 4th mo 20 - 1800
in behalf of Rowland Hazard wife and Children which
being read was returned to our men friends

At A monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Southkingstown
7th mo 2[illegible] - 1800 the Accounts from the several preparative
Meetings being produced the Representatives for Southkingstown are
Deborah Congdon and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah
Congdon and Dinah Collins being called are all present
except Sarah Congdon who sent A satisfactory reason for
her Absence, the friend that was appointed to see the Denial
of Elizabeth Hoxsie read hath attended thereto and returned said
Denial to this Meeting which is as followeth

Whereas Elizabeth Hoxsie Daughter of Barnabas Hoxsie with
had A right of Membership in our Religious Society
but hath transgressed [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] our Rules by
Marrying one not A Member thereof. She being previously
Laboured with. Wherefore we deny her [illegible] having any
Longer A right of Membership with us until she

37 shall return and make satisfaction for her said transgressio
given forth at our monthly Meeting of friends held at
Southkingston Oct. 28 — 1800 and signed on behalf of the same
by ——— Mercy Peckham Cl

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Susannah Mory
wife of Hazard Mory requests A Removal Certificate to Hudson
monthly Meeting Sarah Wilbur and Mary Collins are appoint
to make the necessary enquiry and if they they find nothing
to hinder to prepare one and present to our next monthly
Meeting — the Queries were read in this Meeting and answers
thereto agreed on and an account prepared which we are to
forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our representatives
who are Dorcas Peckham and Dinah Collins this Meeting
is informed that part of the Overseers met and Consider
such Business as came before them — Mercy Peckham

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston
11 Mo. 22 — 1800 the Accounts from the several preparative Meetings
being presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Sarah [illegible]
and Bathsheba Kenyon for Hopkinton Renewed Carpenter and Anna
Wilbur being called are all present except Anna Wilbur who
sent a satisfactory reason for her absence The friends appointed
to prepare a Certificate for Susanna Mory wife of Hazard Mory
hath attended thereto and produced one which being read in this
Meeting was approved and signed by the Clerk who is directed to
record and forward the same which is as followeth

From our monthly Meeting of Women Friends
held at Southkingston 11 Mo. 22nd 1800 To the Monthly Meeting of
friends at Hudson
Dear Friends

Susanna Mory wife of Hazard Morey hath
removed to live within the verge of your Monthly Meeting and requests
our Certificate — these are to Certify that She is a member of
our Meeting and in a good degree of an orderly Life and Conversation
as such we recommend her to your Oversight and Christian Care
with desires for her preservation and growth in the truth —

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Signed in and on behalf of ~~said~~ our Meeting aforesaid
by Mercy Peckham & Abel Collins Clerks

We have received Epistles from Philadelphia and New york
Yearly Meetings which have been read to the Comfort and Edification
of some of our minds The Representatives appointed to attend
our last Quarterly Meeting informed they attended agreeable
to appointment

At South Kingston monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at
Hopkinton 9th Mo 26 – 1808 The Accounts from the Several preparative
Meetings being produced the Representatives for South Kingston are
Eunice Foster and Eunice Kinyon for Hopkinton Mary Collins and
Lydia Kinyon beings called are all present Hopkinton
Preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Foster intends
Marriage with Thomas Perry they appearing in this Meeting
declared their Intention of takeing eachother in Marriage
which this Meeting takes Notice off and refurs them to our
Men friends They Likewise produced their Parents Consent
in Writeing Anna Wilbur and Mary Collins are appointed to inquire
into the Conversation and Clearness of Elizabeth Foster ~~and~~
Respecting Marriage Ingagements and Report to our next
Monthly Meeting

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends
held at Hopkinton 10 Mo 29th 1808
The Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being
Presented the Representatives therein named are for South Kingston
Mercy Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Thankful
Collins and Lydia Wilbur being called are all present
The friends appointed to Inquire into the Conversation and
Clearness of Elizabeth Foster Respecting Marriage Ingagements
Report that they find nothing to hinder her from proceeding
In Marriage with Thomas Perry Accordingly they appeared in
this Meeting and declared they Continued their Intentions of
Marriage which being Noticed in this Meeting they are refured
to our Men Friends for an Answer Sarah Wilbur and Sarah
Congdon are appointed to attend the Solemnization of their
said Marriage Likewise the House where they Retire and
Report to our next monthly Meeting

The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the
3 Usualy answered agreed on and an Account

Prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeti
by our Representatives who are Lydia Wilbur and Sarah Wilbur
South Kingston Preparitive Meeting informs that Bathshebe
Knowles Daughter of Robert Knowles is keeping Company
on Account of Marriage with one not A Member of our Soci
Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to Visit her
and Report to our next Monthly Meeting This Meeting is infor
that Solomon Collins Requests A removal Certificate for himself
Wife and Family to Ninepartners Monthly Meeting Anna
Wilbur and Mary Collins are appointed to make the Necessary
Enquiry and if they find nothing to hinder ~~to prepare and and~~
To join the Men friends in preparing one and present to our
next Monthly Meeting — This Meeting is informed that part
of the Overseers met and Considered such Business as came
before them — Mercy Peckham fr Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held
at Hopkinton 11 Mo 21 – 1800 —
the Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presente
the Representatives for South Kingston are Deborah Congdon and
Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Lydia Kenyon and Dorcas Gardner
who being called are all present except Deborah Congdon —
The friends appointed to attend the Marriage of Thomas Perry
and Elizabeth Foster Report that according to their observation
it was in A good degree orderly Conducted, the friends appointed
to attend our Last Quarterly Meeting informs that they attended
agreeable to appointment The Committee appointed to Visit
Bathshebe Knowles Respecting her keeping Company on Account
of Marriag with one not A Member of our Society report that
they have had an oppertunity with her and She does not
appear of A Disposition to desist whereupon ~~to~~ it is Refered until
another Month The Committee appointed to join the men friends
In preparing A Certificate for Solomon Collins Wife and family
not being ready to Report it is refered under their Care ~~until another Month~~

At SouthKingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 12 Mo. 26 – 1808

The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being produced the representatives for SouthKingston are Mercy Peckham jur. and Lucyanna Knowles. for Hopkinton Anne Wilbur and Susanna Collins who being called are all present; except Anna Wilbur who sent A reasonable excuse for her absence

The Matter respecting Bathshebe Knowles being revived in this Meeting and it appears that She hath Contrary to friends Advice joined in Marriage with one not A Member of our Society. We appoint Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie to draw A Testimony of denial against her and present to our next monthly Meeting. The Committee appointed to prepare A Certificate for Solomon Collins Wife and ~~family~~ Children have presented one which was read approved and Signed by the Clerk of each Meeting – – – Mercy Peckham jur. Clk.

At SouthKingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 1 Mo. 23 1809 – – –

The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the representatives therein named are for S.Kingston Mercy Peckham and Renewed Carpenter for Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Hannah Collins being called are all present – The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the first Second and twelfth agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our representatives who are Mary Nicholds and Sarah Wilbur – The Committee appointed to draw a Testimony of denial against Bathshebe Knowles having not attended thereto it is continued under their Care until an other Month. This Meeting is Informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered such business as came before them M.P. Clk

At SouthKingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 2 Mo. 20 – 1809 –

The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the representatives for SouthKingston are Catherine Knowles and Hannah Hazard for Hopkinton

Lydia Wilbur and Sarah Collins being called are all present; except Hannah Hazard who sent A reasionable excuse for her absence this Meeting is informed that one of the friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment. The Committee appointed to draw A Testimony of denial against Bathshebe Knowles having not attended thereto it is retured under their Care until an other Month.

Susanna Knowles informed this Meeting that She was going to reside in the State of Newyork within the Compass of Dewainsburg monthly Meeting and desired A few lines by way of Certificate theas are to inform that She is A Member of our monthly Meeting - as such we recommend her to your Christian Care the Clerk is Directed to furnish her with A Coppy of this minute -

At Southkingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 3 Mo. 27 - 1809 the Accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Deborah Congdon and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Susanna Collins & Mary Wilbur being called are all present The Committee appointed to draw A Testimony of Denial against Bathshebe Knowles have Presented one which being read is approved and Signed by the Clerk Hannah Perry is appointed to see said Denial read at the Close of A first Day Meeting where she did belong and return the same to our next monthly Meeting. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Joseph Collins Jr. - has removed with his family in the State of Newyork within the Compass of Dewainsburg monthly Meeting - and requests our Certificate ~~for~~ Sarah Wilbur and Thankful Collins are appointed to join the Mens Committee in prepareing one and present to our next monthly Meeting One of the representatives appointed to attend our Last Quarterly Meeting rendered A Satisfactory reason for her absence -

At Southkingston monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 4 Mo. 24 1809 The accounts from the Several preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for Southkingston are Mercy Peckham and Hannah Hazard for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur and Susanna Cole who being called are all present except Susanna Cole. The Queries ware read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and an Account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham Jr. The friend appointed to see the Denial of Bathshebe Knowles read at the Close of A first day Meeting where she did belong hath attended thereto and returned said denial to this Meeting which is as followeth

Whereas Bathshebe

Knowles Daughter of Robert Knowles hath had a Right of Membership in our Society but hath transgressed the rules thereof by Marrying out of the Unity of Friends being previously Cautioned — We therefore deny her remaining any longer A Member of our Society untill She return and make Satisfaction for her transgression. — Given forth at our monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond the 27th 4th 3 month - 1809 Hannah Knowles Clk for the Day

The Friends appointed to join the Men's Commitee in prepareing A Certificate for Joseph Collins, Wife and Children have produced an Essay of one which was read approved and signed by the Clerks of each Meeting —

South Kingston preparitive Meeting informs that Martha Hazard Wife of John desires to be taken under the care of friends Sarah Wilbur and Mercy Peckham are appointed to take a solid Oppertunity with her and report their sense of her Suitableness to become A Member of our Society to our next monthly Meeting. This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered Such Business as Came before them

1809

At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 5 Mo. 22

The accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the representatives for South Kingston are Sarah Hoxsie and Dorcas Peckham for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Anne Wilbur being Called are all present except Anne Wilbur who this Meeting is informed was prevented attending by Indisposition in her Family —

The Representatives appointed to attend our Last Quarterly Meeting — Inform'd they attended agreeable to appointment. The Committee appointed to take an Oppertunity with Martha Hazard report that they have attended to their appointment and think her sincear in her request wherefore with the Unity of our Men friends She is admitted into Membership with us. — — — — — —

This Meeting is informed that Alice ~~H~~ Hazard Daughter of Johnathan Hazard Deceased hath gone to reside within the Compass of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting and requests A few Lines by way of Certificate These are therefore to Certify on her behalf that She is A Member of our Monthly Meeting as such We recommend her to your Care and Oversight. The Clerk is directed to furnish her with A Coppy of this minute. — —

Mercy Peckham Clk

At A Monthly Meeting of Women held at South Kingston 6 Mo. 26 - 1809 The Accounts from the several preparitive Meetings being presented the Representatives for South Kingston are Mercy Peckham and Lucyanna Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon and Sarah Collins being called are all present

43} South Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Mary Dockray
Wife of John desires to be restored into Membership with Friends
Sarah Wilbur and Lucyanna Knowles are appointed to take
A Solid Opportunity with her and report to our next Monthly
Meeting. Alice Slocum Wife of ~~[illegible]~~ Ebenezar appeared
in this Meeting and desired to be taken under the Care of friends
we appoint our friends Mercy Peckham Sarah Collins and Sarah
Wilbur to take A Solid Opportunity with her and report their —
Sense of her Suitableness to become A Member of our Society to our
next monthly Meeting. The appointing of Overseers Coming before
this Meeting Mercy Peckham Lucy Anna Knowles Sarah Hoxsie Sarah
Collins Sarah Congdon and Mercy Peckham Jur are appointed to
that Station for the Year Ensueing having the Unity of our Men
friends therein — The appointing of A Clerk Comeing before
this Meeting Mercy Peckham Jur is appointed Clerk and Sarah Collins
Assistant Clerk for the Ensuing —

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At A monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston 7 Mo
24 - 1809 The Accounts from the Several preparitive Meetings being —
produced the Representatives for Southkingston are Sarah Hazard &
Esther Knowles for Hopkinton Anne Wilbur and Bathsheba Congdon
being called are all presant except Anna Wilbur who this Meeting
is informed was prevented attending by Indisposition of Body —
The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to first Second
and twelveth agreed on and an account prepared which we are
to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who
are Lucyanna Knowles and Mercy Peckham - The Committee
appointed to Visit Mary Dockray Wife of John on Request to be
restored into membership with Friends report they have had
A Solid Satisfactory Opportunity with her and think well of
receiving her - Wherefore with the Unity of our Men friends She
is again received into Membership with ~~Us~~ She Likewise sent in
an Acknowledgement to this Meeting which being read is received
the Clerk is to record the Same which is as followeth —

To the monthly Meeting of friends next to be held at
Southkingston Dear Friends
Theas may Inform that I have a desire to be restored
to membership with you again, and feeling Sorry that I

have deviated from the Principles and Testimony of Truth in regard to the attendance of Religious Meetings &c for which I was denied the right of Membership; all which I desire Friends to pass by and recieve me into unity again desireing that I may be preserved in future

Mary Dockray

South Kingston the 24th 7 Mo 1809

Committee appointed to take a Solid Opportunity with Alice Slocome have attended there to and think best it should be refered until another Month under the Care of the same Committee. Mary Carpenter hath returned the Coppy of A Minute to this Meeting with an Indorsment from East Greenwich monthly Meeting on her behalf which was read and recevd

This Meeting is Informed that part of the Overseers met and Considered Such Business as came before them - - -

This Meeting is informed that Sarah Collins Daughter of John hath A prospect of makeing A Visit to her Relations ~~in the State of Newyork~~ within the Virge of Dewainsburg monthly ~~to~~ Meeting in the State of Newyork and desires A few Lines — Theas are to Certify that She is A Member of our monthly Meeting The Clerk is directed to furnish her with A Coppy of this minute - — — —

— At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South kingstown 8th Mo 28th 1809 the accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives are for Southkingstown Esther Knowles and Mercy Peckham for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon and Susanna Collins being called are all present — the Committee appointed to take a solid opportunity with Alice Slocum on her Request to be admitted into membership with Friends, Report that they have had a solid opportunity with her, and think well of her request being granted, Wherefore with the unity of our Men Friends she is admitted into membership with us — The Representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended according to appointment - - — — — — Mercy Peckham junr Cl

— At South kingstown monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 25th 1809 - the accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented - the Representatives for South kingstown are Martha Hazard and Mercy Peckham - for Hopkinton Dorcas Gardner and Susanna Cole and being called are all present — South -

-- South-kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that John B. Dockray Jun. proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Mercy Peckham Jun. before this Meeting, accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage which this Meeting takes Notice of and refers them to our Men Friends, they likewise produced their Parents consent - Luceanny Knowles and Martha Hazard are appointed to inquire into the Conversation and clearness of Mercy Peckham Jun. respecting Marriage and report to our next Monthly Meeting. — Received a Certificate from Rhode-Island Monthly Meeting in favour of Susanna Knowles wife of Henry which being read, is received and the Clerk is to record the same.

Mercy Peckham Jun. Clk

—— At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo 23. 1809 - the accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives for Southkingstown are Lucenana Knowles and Hannah Hazard for Hopkinton Anna Wilber and Bathsheba Kinyon being called are all present - The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the first, second and twelth agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Dorcas Peckham and Sarah Wilber — The Friend appointed to inquire into Mercy Peckham Jun. conversation and Clearness respecting Marriage engagements report, that they find nothing to hinder her from proceeding in Marriage with John B. Dockray Jun. — accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared they continued their intentions of taking each other in Marriage which being noticed in this Meeting they are refered to our Men friends for an answer - Lucyanna Knowles and Martha Hazard are appointed to attend the solemnization of the said Marriage likewise the House where they retire and report to our next Monthly Meeting — Received in this Meeting Transcripts of Philadelphia and New-York Yearly Meetings Epistles - likewise Extracts from our last Yearly Meetings Minutes, all of which have been read to sattisfaction —— Mercy Peckham J. Clk

At South-kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 27th 1809 - The accounts from the several -- Preparative Meetings being presented, the Representatives from South-kingstown are Mercy Dockray and Renewed Carpenter, from Hopkinton Hannah Collins and Sarah Collins, Junr. being called are present except Renewed Carpenter who was prevented attending by the difficulty of travelling - one of the Representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform'd that they attended agreeable to appointment - The Committee appointed to see the marriage of John B. Dockray Junr. and Mercy Peckham junr. solemnized, Report; that it appear to be orderly conducted - This Meeting is informed that Hannah Cole (wife of Joseph) desires to be reinstated into membership with Friends - The Clerk is directed to write to Galloway Monthly Meeting where she resides, desiring them to inform us their sense of her suitableness to become a member of our Society - - - - Mercy Dockray Clerk

At South-kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12th mo. 25th 1809 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented - the Representatives for South-kingstown are Mercy Dockray and Luceanna Knowles - for Hopkinton Bathsheba Collins and Dinah Collins being Called are all present - This Meeting is informed that the Clerk has written to Galloway Monthly Meeting as was directed - - Received in this Meeting a report of the Committee appointed by Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting to Visit the several Monthly Meetings thereto belonging - likewise extracts of our Quarterly Meetings Minutes also an Epistle written by a concerned Sister of the above committee, all of which have been satisfactorally read accompanied with the desires that such labours of Love may not be lost - — — — — - - Mercy Dockray Clerk —

At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1st mo. 22nd 1810 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the representatives for South kingstown are Mercy Peckham and Susanna Knowles - for Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Sarah Congdon, being called are all present - The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the first, second and twelth agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forwar to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are

Mercy Dockray, Sarah Wilber and Sarah Hoxsie - This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met and considered such buſineſs as came before them - Our men friends informed this meeting that it had been suggested by the Overseers whether it would not be best to appoint a Committee to Visit the Families belonging to our Monthly Meeting, which after being duly considered in this, was acceeded to - Sarah Wilber, Sarah Collins, Mercy Dockray and Luceana Knowles are appointed to join the mens Committee in that service - - - - - - - - Mercy Dockray Clk

—— At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2nd mo. 19th 1810 - The accounts from the several - Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives for South-kingstown are Esther Knowles and Catharine Knowles for Hopkinton Susanna Collins and Anna Wilber, being called are all present - Sarah Hoxsie informed this Meeting that she attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment, the other Friends that were appointed to that service rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence - - - - - Mercy Dockray Clerk

—— At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 3 mo. 25th 1810 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented, the Representatives for South kingstown are Catharine Knowles and Dorcas Peckham for Hopkinton Dinah Collins and Hannah Collins, being called are all present except Dinah Collins and Dorcas Peckham - Southkingstown Preparative Meeting inform that Sophia Sciſson Wife of James is about to remove within the compaſs of Providence Monthly Meeting and desires our Certificate Whereupon we appoint Luceanna Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie to make the neceſsary enquireys and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare an eſsay of one and present to our next Monthly Meeting - We have Received the Report of the Committee that was appointed to Visit Friends Families, which has been read in this Meeting to our satisfaction and is as followeth

— At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friend held at Richmond 4th mo. 23d 1810 — The accounts from the — several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives therein named are for South kingstown Sarah Hazard and Lucvanna Knowles for Hopkinton Anna Wilber and Deborah Collins, being call.d are all present. The Queries wer read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on, and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next [illegible] Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Martha — Hazard and Sarah Wilbur — The Friends appointed to make the necessary enquirey and prepare a certificate for Sophia — Scisson wife of James have presented one, which being read is appro and Signed by the Clerk who is to record the same which is as followeth — "From Southkingstown Monthly Meeting held at Richmond 23d of 4th mo. 1810 — To the Monthly Meeting of Friends at Providence

Sophias Scissons Certificate

Dear Friends, these may ~~Certify~~ inform that Sophia Scisson Wife of James has removed to a place within the verge of your Monthly Meeting and requests our Certificate, these therefore may certify on her behalf that she is a member of our Meeting and on inquirey she appears to be of an orderly life and conversation, as such we recommend her to your care and oversight — Signed in and on behalf of said Meeting by" — — — Abel Collins — } Clerks
Mercy Dockray }

— This Meeting is informed that alice Slocum wife of Ebenezer has removed within the compass of East Greenwich Monthly

Meeting and requests our Certificate, Mercy Dockray is appointed to make the necessary inquirey and if nothing to hinder, to prepare one and present to our next Monthly Meeting - This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came before them - This Meeting adjourns to meet at Southkingstown upper Meeting House in the fifth Month if permitted Mercy Dockray Clk

— At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends, held at said Southkingstown 5th mo. 28. 1810 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives therein named are for Southkingstown Mary Robinson and Luceanna Knowles - for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Sarah Congdon, whose names being called were all present

— Sarah Wilber informs this Meeting - the Representatives attended their appointment at the Quarterly Meeting - a Certificate for Alice Slocum (Wife of Ebenezer) being produced and approved was signed by the Clerk for this time and to be recorded and forwarded to said Meeting which is as followeth - "From Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Friends held 28th of 5 mo. 1810 - To East Greenwich Monthly Meeting of Friends — Dear Friends Alice Slocum wife of Ebenezer Slocum has removed to live within the verge of your Monthly Meeting and requests our Certificate - These are to inform that she is a member of our Meeting and in a good degree of an orderly life and conversation, as such we recommend her to your Christian care and oversight, with desires for her preservation and growth in the Truth" - signed in and on behalf of said Meeting by Mary A Robinson Clerk for the day

Alice Slocum Certificate

— Received at this Meeting a Copy of the London General Epistle for 1809 - which was read to our satisfaction and edification

This Meeting concludes intending to meet again at the upper Meeting House in Southkingstown in 6th month next if so permitted — — — — Mary A Robinson Clk for the day

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 25th of 6th Month 1810 The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives are for South Kingsto Sarah Hazard and Rachael Nichols for Hopkinton Lydia Kinyon and Susanna Collins being called are all present. The appointing of Overseers for the ensuing coming before this Meeting, we have selected a few Friends for that service as follows Sarah Hazard, Mary Collins, Lydia Kinyon, Anna Wilbur, Mary A. Robinson & Sarah Hoxsie. The appointing of a Clerk and Assistent Clerk is refered until next Month — — — — - Collins Clerk for the day

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 7th mo 23d 1810. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presentented the Representatives for South Kingstown are Martha Hazard and Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon and Hannah Collins being called are all present except Sarah Congdon who sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence. This Meeting thinks best that Luceanna Knowles should be appointed to the station of an Overseer which our men Friends unites with. The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Mary Nichols and Luceanna Knowles. This Meetin is informed that the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them. South Kingstown Prepa-ative Meeting informs that Thomas R. Knowles and Lydia Hoxsie proposes Publishing their intentions of Marriage befor this meeting, accordingly they appeared in this Meeting an declared their intentions of taking each other in Marriage which this Meeting takes notice of and refers them to our men Freiends. Luceanna Knowles and Mary Nichols are appointed to inquire into Lydia Hoxsie's Conversation ar Clearness respecting Marriage ingagements and report to ou next Meeting, Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Kinyon wife of Gideon Kinyon desires to be admitted into membership with friends - Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Hoxsie are appointed to take a suitable opportunity with her, and report their sence of her suitableneſs to become a member of our Society to our next Monthly Meeting - The appointing of a Clerk and aſsistant is refered until another Month

Mercy Dockray Clerk for the day

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South-kingston 8th month 27. 1810 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives therein named are for South kingstown Sarah Hazard and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Lydia Kinyon and Sarah Collins being called are all present - one of the Friends that was appointed to inquire into Lydia Hoxsie's Conversation and clearneſs respecting Marriage engagements Report they find nothing to hinder her from proceeding in Marriage with Thomas R. Knowles, wherefore they are at liberty to proceed in Marriage by keeping to the good order establised among Friends, Sarah Hazard and Luceanna Knowles are appointed to attend the Solemnization of their said Marriage likewise the House where they retire and report to our next Monthly Meeting - One of the Friends appointed to attend our laſt Quarterly Meeting informs she attended agreeable to appointment - This Meeting is informed that Mary Nichols was prevented attending by sickneſs in their Family - The Committee appointed to take a solid opportunity with Sarah Kinyon wife of Gideon Kinyon, Report, that they have attended thereto and think that her request ſhould be granted wherefore with the unity of our men Friends she is admitted into membership with Friends - The appointing of a Clerk and assistant being revived in this Meeting Mercy Dockray is appointed Clerk and Sarah Collins Junr. aſsistant for the year ensuing. Our esteemed Friend

Sarah

Sarah Wilbur in a weighty manner laid before this Meeting a concern that had for some time rested on her mind to pay a Religious visit to Friends of Smithfield Quarterly Meeting and some within our own, which after being weightily considered in this meeting she is left at liberty to persue her prospect as truth may open they way she being a Minister in good esteem with us. The Clerk is directed to furnish her with a Copy of this Minute—

Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at [illegible] Hopkinton 9th mo. 24. 1810. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being ~~called~~ presented the Representatives for Southkingstown are Catharine Knowles and Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Dorcas Gardner. being called are all present except Mercy Dockray who is prevented attending on account of the weather — The Report of the committee that were appointed to attend the marriage of Thomas H. Knowles not being [illegible] it is referred until another Month — Received a Certificate from Smithfield Monthly Meeting on behalf of Mary Wing which is ~~[illegible]~~ being read is received by this Meeting — This Meeting is informed that Gideon [illegible] and his Wife desires their Children should be taken under the care of Friends, their names are Mary, Sarah, Martha, Deborah, Catharine & Elijah — We appoint Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur to take an opportunity with them, and report to our next Monthly Meeting their sense of their fitness to be admitted into membership with Friends — Received Epistles from London Philadelphia and Norfolk which were read in this Meeting to the Comfort and Satisfaction of Friends — The matter respecting collecting memorials of deceased friends coming before this meeting it is thought best to refer the same until another month.

Sarah Collins Clk for the day

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th month 22. 1810. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives for Southkingstown are Dorcas Peckham and Martha [illegible] for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon and Lydia Wilbur who being called [illegible]

253 called are all present. the Queries were read in this Meeting
and answers to the three usually answered agreed on and
an account prepared which we are to forward to our
next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are
Sarah Wilbur and Mercy Dockray — the Friends appointed
to attend the marriage of Lydia Perry and Thomas [illegible]
report that they have attended to their appointment and
think it in a good degree orderly conducted — the friends
that were appointed to take an opportunity with [illegible]
Kinyons Children on their Parents request to have them
taken under the care of Friends Report, that they have
had a solid opportunity with them and think well of
their request being granted — wherefore they are admitted
into membership with us having the unity of our men
Friends — The subject of collecting memorials of deceased
friends being revived in this Meeting, Susanna Knowles,
Sarah Wilbur, Mary Collins, Sarah Hazard and Mercy Dockray
are appointed to join our men Friends in that service

Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Mary
Knowles requests a Removal Certificate for herself and daughter
Elizabeth to Butternut Monthly Meeting in the State of
New York — Sarah Congdon and Sarah Collins are appoint-
ed to make the necessary inquiry & if they find nothing
to hinder to draw an essay of one and present to our next
Monthly Meeting — This meeting is informed that Lydia
Kinyon express a willingness to accompany our friend
Sarah Wilbur in her visit to Friends in Smithfield Quarterly
Meeting — These are to inform that she is
a member of our Mo. Meeting & in good esteem
with us, the Clerk is to forward her a copy of this minute

Mercy Dockray Clk

At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends
held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 26. 1810 - The accounts from the
several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representa-
-tives are for Southkingstown Sarah Hazard & Mary Nichols
for Hopkinton Anne Wilbur and Lydia Wilbur being called
are all present except Anne Wilbur and Sarah Hazard this
Meeting is informed that Anne Wilbur was prevented
attending by indisposition — The Committee appointed to
make the necessary inquiry and prepare certificates for

254) Mary Knowles widow of John and her daughter Elizabeth
having presented them, which being read is approved of
and signed by the Clerk, who is directed to Record and
forward the same which is as followeth. - - - - -
- From So. Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Hopkinto
in the State of Rhode Islan the 26th of 11th mo. 1810 - To the Monthly Meetin
of Friends at the Butternuts in the State of New York. —
Dear Friends Mary Knowles Widow of John Knowles deceased being
about to remove within the verge of your Monthly Meeting &
requests our Certificate these may Certify on her behalf that
ſhe is a member of our Monthly Meeting and by enquiry it does
not appear but that her outward affairs are ſettled to ſatisfacti
and she clear of Marriage engagements and appears to be of
an orderly Life and Conversation and a pretty diligent —
attender of Friends Meetings - as such we recommend her
to your christian care and oversight, with desires that ſhe may
grow and be preserved in the Truth - Signed in and on behalf
of our ſaid Meeting by - - - - - Abel Collins }
Mercy Dockray } Clerks

Mary Knowles's Certificate

— From So. Kingstown Monthly Meeting of ~~[illegible]~~ Friends
held at Hopkinton in the State of Rhode Island the
26th of 11th mo. 1810 - To the Monthly Meeting of Friends at the
Butternuts in the State of New York. - - - - -
Dear Friends, Elizabeth Knowles being about to remove
within the verge of your Monthly Meeting and requests
our Certificate, Theſe may certify on her behalf that
ſhe is a member of our Monthly Meeting and by
inquiry it not appear but that her outward affairs
are ſettled to satisfaction and she clear of Marriage
engagements and a pretty diligent attender of Friends
Meetings - as such we recommend her to your Christia
care and oversight with desires that ſhe may grow and
be preserved in the Truth - Signed in and on behalf
of our said Meeting by - - - Abel Collins }
Mercy Dockray } Clerks

Elizabeth Knowles's Certificate

— Received at this Meeting a few Lines from Galway Month
Meeting informing that agreeable to our request they have
visited Hannah Cole wife of Joseph to good satisfaction and
believe her to be sincere in her Acknowledgement, wherefore
with the Unity of our men friends ſhe is reinstated into mem
-bership

membership with us, the Clerk is directed to prepare a Certificate for Hannah Cole wife of Joseph and present to our next Monthly Meeting ~ The Representatives ~ appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment - the Clerk informed that she furnished Lydia Kinyon with a copy of a minute agreeable to direction - Our Esteemed Friend Sarah Wilbur having been favoured to accomplish her Visit to Friends of Smithfield Quarterly Meeting to the peace of her own Mind and the satisfaction of Friends - she - returned her Certificate to this Meeting - our friend Lydia Kinyon accompanied her therein and returned a copy of a minute to this Meeting - - - Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held held at Richmond 12th Mo. 24. 1810 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives therein named are for Southkingstown Mary Dockray and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Wing and Sarah Collins Junr being called are all present - Sarah Hazard rendered a reasonable excuse for her not attending our last Monthly Meeting - The Friend appointed to prepare a - Certificate for Hannah Cole wife of Joseph has presented an essay of one, which being read is approved and signed by the Clerks of both Meetings, the Clerk is Record and forward the same - which is as followeth - - Mercy Dockray Clk

Hannah Coles Certificate

From Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12th mo 24. 1810 - To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at Galway in the State of New York - -
Dear Friends, Hannah Cole wife of Joseph having removed within the verge of your Monthly Meeting ~~and~~ Requests our Certificate - these are to inform that agreeable to the report of our Committee She is reinstated into membership with Friends - As such we recommend her to your attention and sisterly care, with desires for her establishment and growth in the Truth. signed in & by direction of said Meeting by Mercy Dockray Clerk
approved in the mens meeting and signed by [illegible] their Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1 mo. 24. 1811. the accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives are for Southkingstown Sarah Hazard and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Mary Collins who being called are all present— the Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the first, second and tenths agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Collins Jr. and Lydia Kenyon— This Meeting is informed that the Overseers met as usual and considered such Business as came before them —— Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2d mo. 24th, 1811. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives for Southkingstown are Dorcas Peckham and Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Dinah Collins and Susanna Collins being called are all present- one of the Representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting informed that she attended agreeable to appointment the other was prevented attending by discouragements and difficulty of Travelling - Received at this Meeting a Certificate from Smithfield Quarterly Meeting in favour of Sarah Wilbur which is as followeth.

Certificate in favour
Sarah Wilbur from
Smithfield Quarterly Meeting

"To Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of ~~Women~~ Friends ---
Our beloved friend Sarah Wilbur, attended our Quarterly Meeting in the 11th mo last and most of the Meetings hereto belonging, with a copy of a minute from your Monthly Meeting: her company and Gospel Labours were acceptable to us- from our Quarterly Meeting of ~~Women~~ Friends held at Smithfield 2 mo. 14th 1811"—

Hannah Holden assistent Clerk

Mercy Dockray Clk. S.k. Mo. Meeting

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 3 mo. 25th 1811. the accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Represantatives for Southkingstown are Mercy Dockray and Catharine Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Susanna Cole being called are all present- Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Susanna Knowles requests a removal Certificate to the Butternuts Monthly Meeting the State of New York- Sarah Congdon and Mary Collins are appointed to make the

) Necessary inquiry and if they find nothing to hinder to draw an essay of one and present to our next Monthly Meeting –

Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 4th Mo. 22. 1811. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives therein named are for South-kingstown Martha Hazard and Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Lydia Kenyon and Sarah Congdon being called are all present – The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to thereto agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Sarah Wilbur and Martha Hazard – The Committee appointed to make the necessary enquiry and prepare a Certificate for Susanna Knowles have attended thereto and produced one which being read is approved and signed by the Clerk who is directed to record and forward the same and is as followeth –

Susana Knowles's Certificate

From S.kingstown Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Richmond ~~4th mo. 22. 1811~~ in the State of Rhode Island 4th mo. 22. 1811. To the Monthly Meeting of Friends at the Butternuts in the State of New York — Dear Friends Whereas Susannah Knowles daughter of John Knowles deceased having removed to reside within the verge of your Monthly Meeting and requests our Certificate – these are to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our Monthly Meeting, and appeared to be in a good degree of an orderly Life and Conversation and by inquiry it does not appear but that her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction and likewise clear of Marriage engagements amongst us – so we recommend her to your Christian care and oversight signed in and on behalf of our said Monthly Meeting By —

Abel Collins } Clerks
Mercy Dockray }

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Catharine Collins daughter of Jabez Collins desires to be incociated into the society of Friends Anna Wilbur, Sarah Congdon and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her and report their sense of her suitableness to become a member of our society to our next Monthly Meeting – This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual and considered such Business as came before them – This Meeting adjourns to meet at Southkingstown upper Meeting House in the fifth Month next if permitted — — — — — —

Mercy Dockray Clerk

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At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held in ſaid Southkingstown 5th mo 27 1811 The accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the Representat for Southkingstown are Mary Dockray and Mary Robinson for Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Lydia Kinyon being called are all present -- The friends that were appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment - The Committee appointed to take a solid opportunity with Catharine Collins on her request to be admitted into membership with Friends Report that they have attende thereto and think well that her request ſhould be granted whereupon with the unity of our men friends she is admitted into membership with us --- Sarah Collins Jr Clk for the day

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston 6th mo 24th 1811 The accounts from the ſeveral Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Martha Hazard and Catharine Knowles, for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur being call'd are all present except Martha Hazard who ſent a satisfactory reason for her absence - The subject of Choosing overseers coming before this Meeting we have selected Sarah Collins Jr, Mary Nichols, Luceanna Knowles, Mercy Dockray, Mary Collins and Eunice Kinyon for that important ſtation with desires that each one may attend to the seasonable discharge of their duty having the unity of our men friends therein - - - - - - - - Mercy Dockray Clerk

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingstown 7th month 22d 1811 The accounts being received from each Prepartative Meeting - The Repreſentatives are for South kingstown Mary Dockray and Renewed Carpenter for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur being call'd are all present - The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the first, second and tenth agreed on, and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representat who are Martha Hazard and Dorcas Peckham - Hopkinton Prep -ative Meeting informs that Mary Davis daughter of Marth Healy has attended an exhibition, and having been laboured with without the desired effect- Sarah Wilbur, Mary Collins and Mary Wing are appointed to visit her and report to our next Monthly Meeting— Martha Healy sent an acknowledgment to this Meeting expressing her regret that she suffered her — Children to attend an exhibition on the Stage, Sarah Hazard and Luceanna Knowles are appointed to visit her and report to our next Monthly Meeting- This meeting is informed that the overseers met and considered such business as came before them- This Meeting appoints Sarah Hazard to the station of an overseer, having the unity of our men friends therein — — —

Mercy Dockray Clerk

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South -kingstown 8th mo: 26. 1811. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented the Representatives are for Southkingstown Luceanna Knowles & Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon & Lydia Kinyon being called are all present- This meeting is informed that the Friends that were appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment- the Friends that were appointed to Visit Mary and Martha Davis on account of their attending a Publick Exhibition, Report that they have attended thereto and they appearing willing to condemn the same, think best that their acknowledgment be received which being read & considered is received by this Meeting, having the unity of our men Friends therein; the Publick reading thereof is refered for further Consideration— the Friends appointed to visit Martha Healy not being ready to report, it is refered under their Care- the time having expired for which the Clerk & Assistant Clerk were appointed they are again reappointe to that service for the Year ensueing- Mercy Dockray Clk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 23. 1811. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being presented The

Representatives for Southkingstown are Martha Hazar and Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Hannah Collins being called are all present— The public reading of Mary and Martha Davis's acknowledgment is again refered- the Committee respecting Martha Healy not being ready to report, it is again refered under their care— Transcripts of Philadelphia & New York Epistles of the present year were received, and acceptably read in this Meeting, as likewise Extracts of Yearly Meetings minutes

Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women frien held at Hopkinton 10th month 28th 1811. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Catharine Knowles and Dorcas Peckham for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Sarah Congdon being called are all present— The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers to the first second and tenth agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representativ Sarah Collins and Mercy Dockray- The committee appo-ted to Visit Martha Healy on the complaint brought agains her report that they have had a Solid opportunity with her and think best her acknowledgment be accepted, which being read and considered in this and the Mens Meeting is united with;- Mary Collins is appointed to see that the sai acknowledgment is read at the close of a publick Meeting where she belongs— It is the judgment of this Meeting that the public reading of Mary and Martha Davis's acknowledgmen be omitted— Hopkinton Preparative Meeting inform that Lewis Collins and Lydia Kinyon propose publishing their intentions of Marriage before this Meeting, accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of taking each other in Marriage which being noticed in this Meeting, they were refered to our Men Friends— Mary Collin

and

and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to inquire into her conversation and clearness respecting Marriage engagements and report to our next Monthly Meeting — this Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them. —

Mercy Dockray Clerk

— At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Womens Friends held at Hopkinton 11th month 25th 1811 — the accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Mary Nichols and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton, Sarah Wilbur and Sarah Collins Jr. being called are all Present — the friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting informed they attended and delivered the account with the answers — the friend appointed to see the acknowledgment of Martha Healy read inform that she hath performed that service and has returned said acknowledgment to this Meeting to be recorded — the committee appointed to inquire into Lydia Kenyons conversation and clearness respecting Marriage engagements report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage with Lewis Collins they are therefore at liberty to proceed in Marriage by keeping to the good order established amongst Friends; Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to attend the solemnization of their said Marriage likewise the House where they retire and report to our next Monthly Meeting —

Southkingstown Preparative Meeting in their account informs ~~that~~ Lucy Babcock daughter of Peleg Babcock — desires to be admitted into membership with friends, Luceanna Knowles Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her and report their sense of her — suitableness to become a Member of our Society to our next Monthly Meeting — this Meeting concludes and is to meet again at Richmond in the 12th month if permitted

Mercy Dockray Clerk

artha Healy
cknowledgment

— Whereas I did sometime past let my Children go to an Exhibition upon the Stage where my son was dress'd in Womens cloaths which being contrary to truth and the wholesome rules of our Discipline, I therefore acknowledge I did wrong & condemn the same, as also my other conduct wherein I have done amiss & desire friends to pass it by & continue their watchful care over me hoping I shall be more careful in future

Martha Healy

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 12th Mo. 23rd 1811. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representati for South kingstown are Mercy Dockray and Martha Hazard Hopkinton Mary Collins and Anna Wilbur, being called are all presen The friends appointed to attend the Marriage of Lydia Kinyon, Repor that they think it in a good degree orderly conducted; the committee appointed on the Request of Lucy Babcock Report, that they have had a solid conference with her, and think well that her Request should be granted, which being considered in this Meeting and having the unity of our Men Friends, she is received into membership with friends. Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Ann Brown (wife of William Brown) desires to be admitted into membership with Friends, Martha Hazard and Luceanna Knowles are appointed to take a solid oppertunity with her and report to our next monthly Meeting. Hopkinton Preparative Meeting in their account informs that Mira and Joanna Carr daughters of Peleg Carr, desires to be initiated into membership with Friends, Anna Wilber, Sarah Collins Jun^r and Mary Collins are appointed to Visit them and Report their sense of their suitableness to become Members of our Society to our next Monthly Meeting. — — — — — — — Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1st month 27. 1812. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Mercy Dockray and Mary Nichols for Hopkinton Lydia Collins and ~~Dinah~~ Susanna Collins being called are all present. The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the first, second and tenth agreed on, and an Account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives wh are Lydia Collins and Dinah Collins. The committee appointed to visit Ann Brown wife of William Brown (on her request to be admitted into membership with friends report that they have had a solid opportunity with her and think well that her request should be granted;

which being read and considered in this Meeting, she is received into membership with friends, having the unity of our men friends therein ~ The Committee appointed to visit Mira and Joanna Carr daughters of Peleg Carr on their request to become members of Society report that they have had a solid opportunity with them, and they appearing one with us in principal think best their request be granted, which being read and considered in this Meeting they are admitted into membership with Friends, having the unity of our men friends therein - - — - — Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2 mo. 24th 1812 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present, the Representatives therein named are for Southkingstown Mary Dockray and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Susanna Cole and Catharine Collins being called are all present except Mary Dockray who sent a sattisfactory excuse for her Absence - the Representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment - This Meeting is informed that Jeremiah Browning his Wife and Children are about to remove within the verge of Hudson Monthly Meeting in the state of New York and requests a Certificate for that purpose, Susanna Cole and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to make the necessary inquiry and if they find nothing to hinder, to join the men friends in preparing one and present to our next Monthly Meeting - This Meeting is informed from the mens Meeting that they have approved of the Public appearance in the Ministry of Abel Collins which this Meeting unites with
by Sarah Collins 2d. Clk for the day - Mercy Dockray Clerk

At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 3 mo 23 1812 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being produced the Representatives for S. Kingstown are Mercy Dockray and Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton Bathsheba Kinyon & Sarah Collins 2d being called are all present - the committee appointed to join the men friends in preparing a certificate for Jeremiah Browning Wife & family not being ready to report, it is referred until another Month
Mercy Dockray Clk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held
at Richmond 4th mo. 27. 1812 the Accounts from the several
Preparative Meetings being Present the Representatives for
Southkingstown are Mercy Dockray and Renewed Carpenter
for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Lydia Collins being
called are all present. The Matter respecting Jeremiah Browning
Certificate is referred under the care of the same Committee
— The Queries were read in this Meeting and Answers thereto agreed
on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our
next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives Luceanna Knowles
and Dorcas Peckham — ~~Anne Brown wife~~ of ~~William Brown~~
Southkingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Anne Brown
wife of William Brown desires their Children namely Mary
Dockray Brown, Nancy Brown, John Dockray Brown, Hannah Brown,
Edward Wigland Brown and Susanna Wickham Brown; might be
taken under the care of Friends, Mary Collins and Luceanna Knowles
are appointed to take a Solid opportunity with them and report to
our next Monthly Meeting — Hopkinton Preparative Meeting
inform that Martha Collins daughter of Jabez Collins desires to be
taken under the care of Friends — Sarah Wilbur and Mary Collins
are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her and report their
sense of her suitableness to become a Member to our next Monthly
Meeting — This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met
and Considered such business as came before them

Mercy Dockray Clerk

— At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at
~~Richmond~~ Southkingstown 5th mo 25th 1812 The accounts
from the several Preparative Meetings being present
the Representatives for Southkingstown are Mary Robinson
and Mary Nichols for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon and Sarah
Wilbur who being called are all present. The matter
respecting Jeremiah Browning Wife & family having a
Certificate is referred until another Month under the care
of the same committee — The committee appointed to

Visit Anne Brown respecting her request for her Children to be received into membership with friends report that they have had one, and think well that her request be granted, which being considered in this and the mens Meeting is United with and they are received into membership with us — The friends appointed to atten our last Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment — the committee appointed to visit Martha Collins on her request to be admitted into membership with friends, report that they have perfor that service and think well of granting her request, whi being considered in this and the mens Meeting is unite with and she received into Membership with friends — Southkingstown Preparative Meeting inform that Mary Dockray Jun. requests to be taken under the car of friends — Martha Hazard and Mary A. Robinson are appoint a committee to visit her and report their sense of her suitableness to become a member to our next monthl Meeting — Hopkinton preparative Meeting inform that Sarah Carr wife of Peleg Carr requests to be taken under the care of friends, Sarah Collins Jr. and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to take an opportunity with her and report to our next monthly Meeting — Was received and read in this Meeting the London general Epistle for 1811. containing much excellent council and salutary advice which we desire may be profitably retained — M Dockray Clerk

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingstown 6th month 22d. 1812 — The Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Catharine Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Catharine Collins, who being called are all present — The committee appointed to visit Mary

Dockray Jur. on her request to be taken under the care of Friends report that they have attended thereto and think well her request be granted, which being considered in this and the mens Meeting is united with — The friends appointed to visit Sarah Carr on her request to be admitted into membership with Friends, report; that they have attended to that service and think her sincere, which being considered in this Meeting she is received into Membership with us, having the Unity of our men Friends therein — The time having expired for which the Clerk of this Meeting was appointed, she is reappoin for that service for the year ensueing — The subject of appointing Overseers coming before this Meeting Mary Collin Sarah Collins Jr., Mercy Dockray, Martha Hazard & Sarah Hazar are elected for that service for the Year ensueing having the unity of our Men friends therein — The Matter respecting Jeremiah Browning Wife and family's having a Certificate is refered under the care of the same committee. M. Dockray Clerk

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South-kingstown 7th month 27th 1812 The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for South-kingstown are Sarah Hazard and Anne Brown for Hopkinton Dinah Collins and Mary Collins being called are all present — The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the first, second and tenth agreed on and an account prepard which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our friends Mary A. Robinson and Mercy Dockray whom we appoint as Representatives to attend the Quarterly Meeting — The Matter respecting Jeremiah Browning, Wife & Familys having a certificate is again refer.d under the care of the same Committee — South kingstown Preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Hazard is proposed to the station of an Elder, which being considered in this and the Mens Meeting is United with — This Meeting is informed that the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them ------------ Mercy Dockray Clerk

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingstown 8th month 24th 1812 — The accounts from the several Preparative Meet being present the Representatives for South Kingstown are Mercy Dockray and Sueanna Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Bathsheba Collins being called are all present This Meeting is informed that the friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment the matter respecting Jeremiah Browning, Wife and Families having a Certificate is refered under the care of the same Committee, Presented to this Meeting Extracts from our Yearly Meetings minutes also Transcripts of London, Philadelphia and New York Yearly Meetings Epistle all which have been satisfactorily read amongst us—

Agreeable to the renewed advice of our Quarterly Meeting we appoint Mercy Dockray, Sueanna Knowles and Sarah Wilbur to take the said Extracts and Transcripts of Epistles and read them to such of our friends as are by indisposition and the like prevented from attending our Meetings—

Our esteemed friend Abel Collins opened in this Meeting a concern that has attended his mind to accompany our friends Anne Green and Hannah Dennis on their religious Visit to friends in the State of New York, which being weightily considered on this meeting is united with—

Mercy Dockray Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 9 mo. 21. 1812 The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Mary Dockray and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Susanna Cole and Lydia Wilbur who being are all present, The matter respecting Jeremiah Browning Wife and family having a Certificate is refered under the care of the same Committee

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that William Earl of Swansey proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Hannah Collins before this Meeting; accordingly they appeared in this meeting and declared their intentions of taking each other in Marriage which being noticed in this Meeting they are refered to our men friends, they likewise produced their parents consent, Anna Wilbur and Susanna Cole are appointed to inquire into Hannah Collins's conversation and clearneſs as respects marriage and report to our next Monthly Meeting - Received an acknowledgment from Lamany Larkin wife of Kenyon Larkin of Brookfield which being read in this meeting Dorcas Peckham and Mercy Dockray are appointed to write a communication to the Monthly Meeting where ſhe resides and present to our next Monthly Meeting — - M. Dockray Clk -

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 10th month 26th 1812 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Mary Nichols and Eunice Kenyon for Hopkinton Catharine Collins and Dorcas Gardner who being called are all present - Our esteemed friend Ruth Spencer attended this Meeting with copy of a minute from Comans Monthly dated 8th mo. 26. 1812 - expressive of their unity in her present engagement whose company and labours of love are acceptable to us - The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the first, Second and tenth agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next quarterly Meeting by our friends Susanna Knowles and Sarah Collins whom we appoint as Representatives to attend the ensuing Quarterly Meeting - our Esteemed friends Anna Green and Hannah Dennis from Rhode Island Monthly Meeting attended this Meeting whose company and religious labours have been truly acceptable to us as likewise that of our Esteemed friend Lydia Wicks from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting - The friends appointed to join the men friends in preparing a certificate for Jeremiah Browning Wife and family have produced one which being read and approved is signed by the Clerk - The friends appointed to inquire into Hann Collins's conversation and clearneſs respecting marriage Rep they find nothing to hinder her from proceeding in Marriage with William Earl they are therefore at liberty to proceed in marriage by keeping to the good order established amongst frie

Sarah Wilbur and Anna Wilbur are appointed to attend
the solemnization of their said marriage, likewise the House
where they retire and report to our next monthly Meeting
The friends appointed to prepare a communication to Butternuts
Monthly Meeting in the State of Newyork on behalf of Laurany
Larkin wife of Kinyon Larkin have produced one, which being
read is approved and signed by the Clerk of this and the mens
meeting — The acknowledgment of Laurany Larkin wife of Kinyon
Larkin being again revived and considered in this Meeting
we leave it to friends
the tenor thereof being acceptable ~~that business is referred to~~
to recieve her into membership with them if they think proper
~~the care~~ of Butternuts Monthly meeting — this Meeting
is informed that the overseers met as usual and considered
such business as came before them Mercy Dockray Clerk
P.S. The committee appointed agreeable to the advice of our Quarterly
Meeting to read the Extracts of our Yearly meetings Minutes and
Transcipts of Epistles from London, Philadelphia & New Yorke
Yearly Meetings report, that they have performed that duty
M.D Clerk

At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends
held at Hopkinton 11th mo: 23. 1812 — The accounts from the several
Preparative Meetings being present, the Representatives
for Southkingstown are Sarah Hazard & Mary Dockray
for Hopkinton Mary Collins & Sarah Congdon being
called are all present — The friends appointed to attend our
last Quarterly Meeting informed that they attended agreeable
to appointment — The committee appointed to attend the
Marriage of William Earl and Hannah Collins, report; that
they think it was orderly conducted Mercy Dockray Clerk

At our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond
12th mo. 28. 1812 — The accounts from the several Preparative
Meetings being present the Representatives for South-
-kingstown are Catharine Knowles and Sarah Hazard
for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Mary Wilbur being
called are

called are all Present — Southkingstown Preparative in
Meeting in their account informs that Sarah Hazard Jr reques
a few lines by way of Certificate to East Greenwich Mont
Meeting, these are therefore to certify that she is a member
of our Monthly Meeting, as such we recommend her to your
christian care and oversight — The clerk is directed to furnish
her with a copy of this minute — This Meeting is informed
that Hezekiah Babcock proposes laying his intentions of
marriage with Dorcas Peckham, before this Meeting
accordingly they appeared in this Meeting and declared their
intentions of taking each other in Marriage, which being noticed
in this Meeting, were refered to our men friends, they
likewise produced their parents consent — Mary Dockray
and Sarah Hazard are appointed to enquire into her
Conversation and clearness as respects Marriage and report
to our next Monthly Meeting — Mercy Dockray Clerk

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond
1st mo. 25. 1813. The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present
the Representatives for South Kingstown are Esther Knowles and —
Luceanna Knowles for Hopkinton, Sarah Carr & Sarah Collins Jr.
who being called are all present — agreeable to appointment
the clerk has forward a Copy of a minute to Greenwich Monthly
Meeting in favour Sarah Hazard Junr. The Queries were read in this
Meeting and answers to the first Second and tenth agreed on and an
Account prepared which we are to forward to our next Quarterly
Meeting by our friends Mary Collins and Alice Knowles whom we
appoint as Representatives to attend the ensueing Quarterly Meeting
The friends appointed to enquire into Dorcas Peckhams conversation
and clearness as respects Marriage report that they find nothing to
hinder her from proceeding in Marriage with Hezekiah Babcock
they are therefore at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order
established amongst friends — Luceanna Knowles and Mary Nichols are
appointed to attend the solemnization of their said Marriage likewise
the House where they retire and report to our next Monthly Meeting
Received a few lines from Nine Partners Quarterly Meeting hel

4th of 11th month 1812 expressive of their unity of the services and labours of Abel Collins whilst amongst them who attended nearly all the particular Meetings on the East side of Hudson River belonging thereto, in company with Anna Green & Hannah Dennis and signed on behalf of the Meeting by Philip Hoag Clerk.

This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came before them and proposed to this Meeting whether it might not be useful to appoint a solid committee to visit such of our members are as are deficient in the attendance of our religious Meetings to endeavour to encourage them in that duty; which is refered until our next Meeting for consideration —
Mary Collins Clerk for the day

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 2 mo. 21. 1813 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Martha Hazard and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Wilber and Mary Collins, who being called Sarah Wilber and Mary Collins are present. This Meeting is informed that indisposition of body prevented Sarah Hazards attending - The Representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended - The Committee appointed to attend the marriage of Hezekiah Babcock & Dorcas Peckham, report; that they attended and think it was orderly conducted - This Meeting being small it is thought best to refer the matter respecting the appointment of a committee to visit friends that are negligent in the attendance of our Meetings until another Month. This Meeting is informed that Martha Dye has removed to live within the verge of Butternuts Monthly Meeting and requests our Certificate, we appoint Sarah Hoxsie and Mary Nichols to make the necessary enquiry into her circumstances and situation; and if they find nothing to hinder to draw up and present an essay of one to our next Monthly Meeting -
Mary Collins Clerk for the day

At South kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women fr
held at Richmond 3 mo. 22. 1813 – the accounts from the ſeveral
Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for
Southkingstown are Freeloved Carpenter & Elizabeth Peckha
for Hopkinton Susanna Collins and Mira Carr who being
called are all present except Mira Carr who ſent a satisfa
reason for her absence – the consideration of appointing a
committee to visit thoſe that are negligent in the attenda
of Meetings, it is concluded that it remain under the ca
of the overseers – the committee appointed to make the neceſsa
enquiry and to prepare an Eſsay of a Certificate for Mart
Dye – they having attended thereto, and a certificate being draw
and ſigned in this Meeting the Clerk is directed to forwar
the ſame – Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that
Hannah Earl wife of William is about to remove within
the limits of Swanzey Monthly Meeting and requests our
Certificate – Anna Wilber and Sarah Wilber are appointed
to take the neceſsary care & if they find nothing to hinder
to draw an Essay of one and present to our next Monthly
Meeting ——

At Southkingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends
held at Richmond 4th mo. 26. 1813. The accounts from the ſeveral
Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for
Southkingston are Dorcas Babcock and Sarah Hoxsie
for Hopkinton Catharine Collins and Bathsheba Kinyon
being called are all present – the committee that were appoi
to prepare an Essay of a Certificate for Hannah Earl not
having attended to that ſervice, it is refered under their
care – the Queries were read in this Meeting and answers
agreed upon, which we forward with the account to our
next Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are
Dorcas Babcock and Hannah Hazard – Southkingstown
Preparative Meeting informs that Esther Hazard wife of
Robert Hazard requests to be taken under the care of Friends
whereupon we appoint Sarah Wilber & Mary Collins to
take a ſolid opportunity with her and inform our next
Monthly Meeting their ſenſe of her fitneſs to become a
member – We are also informed by Southkingstown Preparative

Meeting that Catharine Knowles intends Publishing her intentions of Marriage with Solomon B. Boss before this Meeting, they accordingly appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of taking each other in Marriage which was noticed and they refered to our men friends they likewise produced their Parents consent - Martha Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie are appointed to enquire into her conversation and clearness respecting Marriage and report to our next Monthly Meeting - This Meeting is informed that the Overseers met as usual

At a Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at S. Kingstown 5 mo. 24 1813 - The accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present the Representatives for Southkingstown are Martha Hazard and Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Sarah Wilbur are all present except Martha Hazard who was prevented attending by sickness in her family. The Friends under whose care was refered the preparing an Essay of a certificate for Hannah Earl have presented one and is as follows - From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at S. Kingstown the 24 of 5 mo. 1813. To the Monthly of Women friends at Somersett Dear Friends / Hannah Earl wife of William Earl, being about to remove at a place within the verge of your Monthly Meeting, requests our certificate for that purpose - These are to certify that she is a member of our Meeting, of an orderly life & Conversation and a steady - attender of Meetings - therefore we recommend her to your care and oversight with desires for her growth in the truth, her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction as far as appears;

Signed in & on behalf of our aforesaid Meeting by Mary Wilbur Clk for the day

Hannah Earl, Certificate.

This Meeting is informed that the friends that were appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment The friends that were appointed to take an opportunity with Esther Hazard on her request to be taken under the care of friends report that they have had a solid opportunity with her and think well of her request being granted. she is therefore admitted into membership with us, having of our men friends therein - The matter respecting Catharine Knowles's clearness respecting marriage engagements coming before this Meeting and nothing appearing to hinder her from proceeding in Marriage with Solomon

B. Boss she is left at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order established amongst friends - Sarah Hazard and Mary Dockray are appointed to attend the solemnization of their said Marriage likewise the House where they retire and report to our next Monthly Meeting - The Matter respecting the appointment of a Clerk coming before this Meeting Mary Wilbur is appointed Clerk for the ensueing year and Elizabeth Peckham Assistant Clerk ———

1813 6th mo At A Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 6th Mo: 21st 1813 ~~The~~ accounts from the several preparative meetings being present the representatives for So. Kingston are Lucy S.mea Knowles and Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Lydia Collins an Bathsheba Kenyon who being called are all present - The committee that was appointed to attend the marriage of Solomon E B Boss and Catharine Knowles report that they think it was orderly conducted ——

This being the usual time for appointing overseers and the representatives having proposed Sarah Hazard Mary Dockray Martha Hazard Sarah Collins Lydia Wilbur and Lydia Collins for that service this Meeting unites with them and they are appointed for the ensuing year having the unity of our men friends therein — This meeting is informed that Dinah and Martha Collins daughters of Jabez Collins having gone to reside a few months within the verge of Hudson Monthly Meeting request a few lines by way of certificate these are therefore to certify on their behalf that they are Members of this Meeting The clerk is directed to forward them a copy of this minute

Mary Wilbur Clerk

7th mo At A Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 7th Mo 26th 1813 The accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein named are for South Kingston Nancy Brown and Lucy Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Susanna Collins being called are all present The queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward by our friends Mary Dockray and Mary Robinson whom we appoint representatives to attend our next quarterly Meeting

South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Ruth Hannah Carpenter Daughter of James Carpenter requests to be taken under the care of friends Mary Collins and Sarah Hazard are appointed to take an opportunity with her and report to our next monthly Meeting their sense of her fitness to become a members —

We are also informed by South Kingston preparative Meeting that Elizabeth Rice daughter of Martin Rice jun requests to be admitted into membership with us we appoint Sarah Hoxsie to take a solid opportunity with her and report to our next Monthly Meeting — This Meeting is also informed that Sarah Hazard junr requests a removal certificate to East greenwich Monthly Meeting accordingly we appoint Lucy Anna Knowles and Mary Nichols to Make the necessary enquiry and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare an essay of one and present it to our next Monthly Meeting — This Meeting is informed that the overseers met and considered affairs relative to the state of society

Mary Wilbur clerk

8th At A Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 4th Month [illegible] 1813. The accounts from the several preparative Meetings being received the representatives therein named are for So Kingston Mary Robinson and Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Lydia Collins and Anna Wilbur who being called are all present. This Meeting is informed that the friends who were appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended. The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Ruth H Carpenter on her request to be taken under the care of friends not being ready to report it is referred to another Month under their care The committee that was appointed to visit Elizabeth Reed not being ready to report it is referred under their care The friends appointed to prepare an essay of a certificate for Sarah Hazard junr have presented one which is approved and signed and the clerk is directed to record and forward it

Our esteemed friend Sarah Wilbur laid before this Meeting a concern which rested on her mind to pay a visit to Pomfret Meeting within the verge of Uxbridge Monthly Meeting; in which friends unite with her and leave her at liberty to pursue her prospect, hoping that the accomplishment of it may be productive of peace of mind she also having the unity of the men's meeting therein The clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute. We have received transcripts of Epistles from London Philadelphia and New York yearly Meetings also Extracts from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting which have been read we trust to our comfort and Edification

Mary Wilbur Clerk

Sarah Hazard's certificate

To East Greenwich Monthly Meeting of Women friends.

Whereas Sarah Hazard daughter of George Hazard hath removed to live within the verge of your Monthly Meeting and desires our certificate; theese are to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our religious society and by enquiry it appears she has settled her outward affairs and is clear of Marriage engagements amongst us As such we recommend her to your christian care and oversight wishing for her preservation and establishment in the truth - Signed in and on behalf of our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 25th of 8th Month 1813 by Mary Wilbur Clerk

9 At South Kingston Monthly of Women friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 9th Month 1813 The accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for So Kingston Eunice Kenyon and Sarah Hoxie for Hopkinton Dorcas Gardner and Lydia Wilbur being called are all present. The friends who were appointed to visit Ruth H Carpenter on her request to be taken under the care of friends report that they have performed that service and think well of her request being granted which is united with by this and the men's meeting and she is accordingly received as a member The committee ~~that~~ was appointed to take an opportunity with Elizabeth Reed not being ready to report this business is again referred under their care — Our friend Sarah Wilbur returned to this Meeting the copy of a minute which she had for the purpose of visiting Pomfret Meeting with an account that she had performed the visit and that the peace and satisfaction which accompanied the performance of it had proved a rich reward for her labor — Our Esteemed friend Abel Collins weightily opened in this Meeting a concern which had for some ~~time~~ impress'd his mind to pay a religious visit to friends within the limits of Duanesburg and Farmington Quarterly Meetings and some meeting in Easton Quarter in the state of New-York in which the Meeting feelingly unites and sympathizes with him and the further consideration of it is referred till our next Mo Meeting

Mary Wilbur clerk

10 At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 10th Mo 25th 1813 The accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein named are for South Kingston Mary Dockr

and Martha Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Mary Collins being called are all present. The committee that was appointed to take an opportunity with Elizabeth Reed report "That she appears to be in a good degree sincere and they think well her request should be granted" which this Meeting unites with and receives her into membership having the unity of the mens Meeting therein - The concern of our friend Abel Collins being revived in this Meeting (and a certificate read and signed in favor of him) it is still united with and he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect with desires that he may be enabled to perform the service to the honor of truth and the true peace and satisfaction of his own mind - The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to our next quarterly Meeting by our representatives who are Sarah Collins and Mary Wilbur - This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such buſineſs as was thought neceſsary South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Catharine Boſs wife of Solomon B. Boſs requests requests a removal certificate to Rhode Island monthly Meeting Mary Dockray and Mary Robinson are appointed to make the neceſsary enquiries and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one and present to next Meeting Our beloved friends Anna Greene and Hannah Dennis from Rhode Island Monthly Meeting attended this meeting having visited the families belonging thereto whose company and religious labors have been truly acceptable to us ———— Mary Wilbur Clerk

11th At South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 22nd 1813 The accounts from the several preparative meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Lucy Knowles and Ann Brown for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur and Lydia Wilbur whose names being called are all present except Lucy Knowles who sent a satisfactory reason for her absence The representatives who were appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment The friends who were appointed to prepare a certificate to Rhode Island Monthly Meeting in favor of Catharine Boss have presented one which is approved and signed by the clerk and is as follows

Catharine Boss's Certificate

To the Monthly Meeting of Women friends held on Rhode Island. Dear Friends Catharine Boss, wife of Solomon B. Boss hath informed this meeting that she is about to remove within the compass of your Monthly meeting and requests our certificate. These are to certify that she is a member of our Monthly Meeting of an orderly life and conversation a frequent attender of our meetings, and on enquiry it appears her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction, As such we recommend her to your sisterly care and attention with desires for her preservation and establishment in the truth. Signed on behalf and by direction of South Kingston monthly meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 22nd 1813 — by
Mary Wilbur Clk

Dinah M Collins's Indorsement

Dinah and Martha Collins returned to this meeting a copy of a minute which they had to Hudson monthly meeting with an indorsement from that meeting which is as follows
To South Kingston mo Meeting of women friends Dear friends Dinah and Martha Collins having spent a few months within the compass of this Monthly Meeting and now being about to return to you we may inform that their conduct has been such as to render their company acceptable whilst amongst us. Signed on behalf of Hudson monthly meeting of women friends held 26th of 10 mo 1813
by Tabitha Marriott Clk

Sarah Collins daughter of Jabez Collins informed this Meeting that she had a prospect of spending some time within the compass

Hudson Monthly Meeting and requested a few lines from this Meeting
These are to certify that she is a member of our Monthly Meeting
as such we recommend her to your christian care and oversight
the clerk is to furnish her with a copy of this Minute

Mary Wilbur Clk

12th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women
friends held at Richmond 12th Mo 27th 1813 The acco
ts from the several preparative meetings being present
the representatives are for So Kingston Dorcas Babco
& Sarah Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Carr and Sara
Congdon being called are all present

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk
for the day

1814
1st Month At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends
held at Richmond 1st Mo 24th 1814 The accounts from
the several preparative meetings being present the rep-
-resentatives therein named are for South Kingston
Elizabeth Peckham and Lucy Anna Knowles for Hop
-kinton Mira Carr & Dinah Collins whose names
being called they are all present. The Queries were
read in this meeting and answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th
agreed on and an account prepared which we are to
forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by our repres-
-entatives who are Dinah Collins and Alice Knowles
Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Peleg
Kenyon and Thankful Collins propose publishing
their intentions of Marriage before this meeting they
accordingly appeared in this meeting and declared their
intentions of taking each other in Marriage which was
noticed and they were referred to our next friends
Sarah Wilbur and Dinah Collins are appointed to

enquire into her conversation and clearness respectin
marriage and report to our next Monthly Meeting

Mary Wilbur Cl

2nd At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 2nd Mo 21st 1814 The accoun from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary A Robinson & Alice Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Mary Wilbur being called are all presen except Mary A Robinson who was prevented attending by indisposition The friends who were appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended and presented the account with the answers One of the friends who were appointed to enquire into thankful Collins Clearness respecting Marriage reports that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding with marriage with Peleg Kinyon their parents consent being obtained they are therefore at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order established amongst friends Mary Collins & Sarah Wilbur are appointed to attend the solemnization of their said marriage likewise the house where they retire and report to our next Monthly Meeting

Mary Wilbur Clerk

3d At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 3 Month 28th 1814 The accounts from the several preparative Meetings being received the representatives are for South Kingston

Mercy Dockray and Alice Knowles for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Sarah Carr whose names being called they are all present The friends appointed to attend the Marriag of Peleg Kinyon and Thankful Collins report that according to their observation it was orderly conducted. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Benjamin Hazard & Joanna Carr propose publishing their intentions of Marriage before this Meeting They accordingly appeared in this meeting and declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage which being noticed they were referred to our men friends they likewise produced their parents consent in writing Thankful Collins and Sarah Wilbur are appointed to enquire into her clearneſs respecting marriage engagements and report to our next Meeting. South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Rachel Nichols has transgreſsed friends rules by not keeping herself chaste and Marrying with one not a member which being weightily considered in this and the men's Meetings it is thought best to refer it till our next Monthly Meeting for further consideration South Kingston preparative meeting also informed that Ruth Hannah Carpenter has transgressed the rules of our society by joining in marriage with one not a member which being considered is referred to our next Meeting ——

Mary Wilbur Clerk —

4th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 25th of 4th Month 1814

The accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Elizabeth Peckham and Catharine Knowles for Hopkinton Bathshe Kinyon and Mary Collins whose names being called ar all present. The friends who were appointed to enquire into Joanna Carr's clearness respecting marriage report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage with Benjamin Hazard, they are therefore at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order established among friends Mary Collins and Anna Wilbur are appointed to attend the solemnization of their said Marriage likewise the house where they retire and report to to our next Monthly Meeting The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers agreed on which we are to forward with the account to our next Quarterly Meeting by our friends Martha Hazard and Sarah Congdon whom we appoint representatives The Matter respecting Rachel Nichols being revived in this Meeting Mary Collins & Sarah Wilbur are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her and report to our next Monthly Meeting, The matter respecting Ruth Hannah Carpenters transgression also coming before this Meeting Sarah Wilbur Mary Collins and Mary A Robinson are appointed to take an opportunity with her on account of her sd transgression and report to our next Monthly Meeting. South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Elizabeth Knowles daughter of Robert Knowles deceased is keeping company on account of Marriage with one not a member of our society, on which account Sarah Wilbur and Mary Collins are appointed to take an opportunity with her and report to our next Monthly Meeting — We are informed by the mens meeting that the overseers think it necessary that some advice be extended to Peter Hoxsie's family which we unite with and appoint Lucy Anna Knowles and Martha Hazard to join the mens committe in visiting them in love and administering suitable advice — We have received a communication from Butternuts Monthly Meeting in the state of New-York informing that according to our request they have visited Lurana Larkin Wife of Kinyon Larkin and have received her into membership with them — Our beloved friend Abel Collins returned to this Meeting the certificate which was granted him in the 10th Mo 1813 for the purpose of visiting friends in some parts of the state of New-york and also produced certificates from Farmington Quarterly Meeting and from Saratoga Easton Butternuts and Deruyter Monthly Meetings expressive of their unity and satisfaction with his visit and gospel labor amongst them. He also feelingly informed that although his journey had been attended with many trials and discouragements, yet as he had been favored to place his confidence in the all supporting arm of power he had been enabled to obtain the victory and to return with the reward of peace in his own bosom — This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met at the usual time. This meeting concludes intending to meet again in the 5th Mo at So Kingsto upper meeting house if permitted Mary Wilbur Clk

5 At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held 5th Month 23d 1814 The accounts from the several preparative meetings being present, the representatives therein named are for South Kingston Sarah Hazard and Martha Hazard for Hopkinton Dinah Collins and Bathsheba Congdon who being called are all present One of the representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting informed that they attended - The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Rachel Nichols not being ready to report it is referred under their care. One of the friends appointed to visit Ruth Hannah Carpenter on account of her marrying out of society informed that they were not ready to report accordingly that business is referred under their care — The committee that was appointed to have the care of Benjamin Hazard and Joanna Corr's marriage report tha they think it was orderly conducted - Our beloved friend Amos Peaslee attended our Monthly Meeting having previously visited the meetings hereto belonging with a certificate of concurrence from Seabrook Monthly Meeting in the state of Newhampshire, whose company and religious labors have been truly acceptable to us - We have received a certificate from Rhode Island Monthly Meeting in favor of Solomon B Boss and wife which is as follows

Certificate Solomon B Boss and Wife

To the Monthly Meeting of South Kingston —

Dear friends

Solomon B Boss and Catharine his Wife have removed within the limits of your meeting previous to which they requested our certificate; — This is to certify on their behalf that they are members of our society in good esteem with us, and on enquiry it appears that their temporal concerns are settled to satisfaction, — We recommend them to your affectionate care and are your friends,

Signed in and on behalf of Rhode-Island Monthly Meeting held at Portsmouth 28th of 4th Mo. 1814 by

David Williams } Clerks
Hannah Gould junr

The friends who were appointed to visit Elizabeth Knowles report that they have fulfilled the appointment, and that she does not appear disposed to comply with their advice, which this meeting having considered conclude with the advice of the mens meeting to refer it for further consideration under the care of the same committee. — The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Peter Hoxsies family not being ready to report that business is referred. — The time having expired for which the clerk and assistant were appointed they are reappointed for the year ensuing ——

Minutes respecting Joshua Bradley's family

Whereas Joshua Bradley and family some time past had a removal certificate from this meeting directed to Coeymans Monthly Meeting in the state of New York and they having returned to this country without said

certificates being received there (in consequence (281..
of its being mislaid) they are considered as members of
this Meeting   Mary Wilbur Clerk

6 At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at So. Kingston 27th of 6th Mo. 1814. The accounts from each preparative meeting being presented the representatives are for South Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles & Edna Brown for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur & Dinah Collins who being called are all present except Anna Wilbur who was prevented attending by indisposition, The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Rachel Nichols not being ready to report The matter respecting Ruth Hannah Carpenter coming before this meeting it is referred under the care of the same committee. — The matter respecting Elizabeth Knowles coming before this meeting it is referred until another month The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Peter Hoxsies family not being ready to report it is referred under the care of the same committee. — This being the usual time for appointing overseers and the representatives having proposed Sarah Hazard, Mary A Robinson, Martha Hazard Hannah Knowles, Mary Collins, Dinah Collins, Lydia Wilbur, Elizabeth Hoxsie & Dorcas Babcock to that service, this meeting unites with them and they are appointed for the ensuing year with the unity of our men friends

Elizabeth Peckham
Assistant Clerk

7 At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at So. Kingston 25th of 7th Month 1814, The accounts from the several preparative meetings being presented the representatives therein named are for So. Kingston Sarah Hazard & Catharine Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Mira Carr being called are all present except

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Sarah Wilbur who was prevented attending by indisposition
The Queries were read in this meeting and answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed on & an account prepared & signed by the clerk who is to forward them to our next Quarterly Meeting by our representatives Ann Brown & Lucy Anne Knowles. - The matter respecting Rachel Nichols being revived in this meeting we are informed that one of the friends who had the care of it having been confined by indisposition they are not ready to report, on which it is referred under their care, Ruth Hannah Carpenter having transgress'd friends rules by marrying with one not a member of our society and also having sent a paper of acknowledgement to this meeting which is as follows

Acknowledgement Ruth Hannah Hazard

Dear friends

Having transgress'd the wholesome rules and good order amongst you in marrying contrary thereunto Which offence I feel very desirous for friends to forgive & pass by as I am truly desirous of remaining a member amongst you and hope I shall be preserved in future to walk circumspectly desiring friends to continue their watchful care over me - To the Monthly Meeting of friends next to be held at South Kingston - - Ruth Hannah Hazard

The comittee that was appointed to take an opportunity with her report that they think her acknowledgement proceeds from a sincere repentance of her transgression and they think well of its being accepted which being considered in this and the mens meetings we conclude to pass by her said transgression and continue her a member of our meeting ——

The matters respecting Elizabeth Knowles keeping company out of society is referred till our next Monthly Meeting. This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met at the usual time -

Mary Wilbur Clerk

8th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of (L [illegible]
women friends held 22nd of 8th Month 1814. The accounts from the several preparative meetings being present the representatives therein named are for South Kingston Hannah Knowles & Eunice Foster for Hopkinton Dinah Collins & Mary Collins being called are all present One of the representatives informed that they attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment —

Rachel Taylors acknowledgement

Rachel Nichols having transgress'd by marrying one not a member of our society sent the following paper of acknowledgement to this meeting. To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of friends Dear Friends feeling sorrowfully affected with a sense of my sin in keeping company in a disorderly and unchaste manner which led me to break a good & wholesome order of society in marrying with one who is not a member which I humbly desire friends to forgive and pass by hoping to be more careful in future, and continue their watchful care over me if they can think me in any degree worthy their oversight

South Kingston 27th of 7th Month 1814

Rachel Taylor

The comittee that was appointed to take an opportunity with her report that she appears desirous to make friends satisfaction for her transgressions and think well of her acknowledgement's being accepted, which being considered in this and the men's meeting we conclude to pass by her transgressions and consider her still a member of our society *

The matters respecting Elizabeth Knowles coming before this meeting it is thought best to refer it untill another month. The committee on the case of Peters Hoxies family report that they have from time to time given such advice as appeared necessary signed William Peckham Martha Hazard &c — Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

* We appoint Lucy A Knowles to see that her acknowledgement be read at the close of a publick meeting and report to our next meeting

9th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 9th Month 1814, The accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Elizabeth Peckham and Elizabeth Reed for Hopkinton Lydia Collins and Lydia Wilbur whose names being called they are all present, The friend who was appointed to see that the acknowledgement of Rachel Taylor was read in a public meeting has attended to that service and returned said acknowledgement to this meeting

Elizabeth Knowles Denial

Elizabeth Knowles (now Sunderlin) having transgreſsed the rules of our religious society by marrying with one not a member she having been previously laboured with to no effect; This meeting together with the mens meeting after solid consideration think best to disown her from being any longer a member of our society until she shall return and make satisfaction for her transgreſsion. — Mary Wilbur Clerk

10th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 24th 1814 The accounts from each preparative meeting being received the representatives are for So. Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon and Mary Collins who being called are all present — The queries were read in this meeting and answers agreed on to those usually answered and an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by our friends Sarah Wilbur and Mira Carr whom we appoint representatives — This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came before them — We have received transcripts of Epistles from London Philadelphia and New-York yearly meetings with extracts from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting containing much pertinent advice which we hope will be profitably treasured up. Our dear friend Anna Smith from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting attended this meeting whose company and labors of love have been truly acceptable and comforting Mary Wilbur Clerk

11th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 24th 1814 The accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for So Kingston Mary Robinson and Alice Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Wing and Lydia Collins who being called are all present except Mary Robinson The friends who were appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment Sarah Collins jun returned to this Meeting a copy of minute to Hudson Monthly Meeting with which she was furnished in 12th mo last with an indorsement from that meeting which is as follows "Sarah Collins being about to return to within the " compass of South Kingston Monthly Meeting and her " conduct while amongst us having been satisfactory the " clerk is directed to endorse the contents of this minute " on the minute presented by her in 12th mo last and " sign the same in behalf of this meeting _ Extract " from the minutes of Hudson Monthly Meeting held there " the 25th of 10th mo" 1814 Margaret Marriott Clerk

South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Hannah Carpenter wife of Rodman Carpenter requests to be taken under the care of friends. We appoint Sarah Collins jun and Mary Collins to take a solid opportunity with her and report to our next monthly meeting their sense of her sincerity and suitableness to become a member —

This meeting concludes intending to meet again in the 12th mo at Richmond if permitted
Mary Wilbur clerk

12th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 26th of 12th mon 1814 The accounts from the several preparative meetings being present the representa-ves for So Kingston Joanna Hazard and Mary Robinson for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur and Lydia Wilbur whose names being called they are all present. The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Hannah Carpenter not having attended to that service that business is referred under their care — South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Deborah Congdon wife of Joseph Congdon has removed with her husband to within the compass of Uxbridge Mo Meeting without a certificate and propose our sending one for herself and son Benjamin Rodman Congdon which we refer till our next monthly meeting for further consideration So Kingston preparative meetings minutes also contain a proposition for dividing that meeting so that Richmond and So Kingston be each a separate preparative meeting on which after conferring with our men friends we refer it for future consideration, — This meeting concludes intending to meet again at this place in the 1st mo if permitted
Mary Wilbur Clerk

1815
1st Month At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 23 of 1st mon 1815 the accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for So Kingston Alice Knowles and Ann Brown for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Catharine Collins who being called are all present except Ann Brown who sent a satisfactory reason for her absence — The Queries were read and answers to the 1st

2nd mo 10th agreed on and an account prepared and signed by the clerk which we forward to our next Quarterly meeting by our representatives who are Sarah Collins and Catharine Knowles — The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Hannah Carpenter report, that they have attended to that service and think well of her being admitted into membership with us - which this and the mens meetings unite with and she is admitted a member — This meeting appoints Alice Knowles to enquire into Deborah Congdons circumstances and if she finds nothing to hinder to hinder to prepare a certificate for her and present to our next Monthly Meeting — The matter respecting the Division of So. Kingston preparative meeting coming before this meeting, it is agreed that Richmond and the upper meeting in So. Kingston constitute a preparative meeting by the name of Richmond which is to be held at Richmond till the 7th mo and then to be held at So. Kingston 4 months and eight at Richmond successively to be held on 5th day of the week and So. Kingston preparative meeting on 6th day This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came before them and that care is taken where it appeared necessary

Hannah Knowles Clerk for the day

2nd At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 20th of 2nd mo-1815 The accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for So. Kingston Mary Dockray & Joanna Hazard for Hopkinton Lydia Collins and Sarah Carr for Richmond Hannah Knowles and Elizabeth Reed all absent except all absent except Lydia Collins and Hannah Knowles. Joanna Hazard sent a reasonable excuse for her absence

294/1 This meeting is informed that one of the friends that
2 were appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting attended agreeable to appointment The matter respecting Deborah Congdons having a certificate is referred untill another month - This meeting is informed that Thankful Kinyon wife of Peleg Kinyon is about to remove with her husband to live within the compass of Greenwich Monthly Meeting and requests a certificate Whereupon we appoint Lydia Collins to make the necessary enquiry and if she find nothing to hinder to prepare one and present to our next meeting

Hannah Knowles Clk for the day

3d At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 26th of 3d mo 1815 The accounts from the several preparative meetings being received the representatives are for So Kingston Dorcas babcock & Lucy Anna Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Sarah Collins for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie and Hannah Knowles being called are all present - The matter respecting Deborah Congdons Certificate coming before this meeting and one being presented is approved and the Clerk is directed to record and forward it to Uxbridge Mo: meeting it is as follows

Deborah Congdons Certificate

To Uxbridge Mo: Meeting of friends

Dear Friends, Deborah Congdon wife of Joseph having removed some time since with her husband and family to live within the limits of your meeting this is to certify on behalf of herself and son Benjamin Rodman Congdon that they are members of our meeting, and whilst with us she was of a pretty orderly life and conversation and we believe attended our meetings when of ability — We recommend them to your friendly care and oversight desiring their preservation and establishment in the truth and are your friends — Signed in and by direction of So Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond 27th of 3d mo 1815 by

Isaac Wilbur Clerk
Elizabeth Peckham Clk for the day

The friends who were appointed to enquire into the clearness respecting Peleg Kinyon & wife inform that they find nothing to hinder their having a certificate to E Greenwich M M they have likewise produced one which the clerk is directed to record and forward to said meeting, it is as follows

To E Greenwich Monthly Meeting

Dear Friends

Peleg Kinyon having removed to Cranston within the verge of your mo Meeting requests our certificate for himself and wife. Now these may certify on their behalf that they are members of our religious society and of pretty orderly life and conversation. and frequent attenders of our meetings he having left his temporal concerns to satisfaction as far as appears — As such we recommend them to your christian care and oversight — Signed in & on behalf of So Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond 27th of 3d mo 1815 by Isaac Wilbur Clk

Elizabeth Peckham Clk for the day

4th At South Kingston monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 24th of 4th mo 1815. The accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Martha Hazard and Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon and Lydia Wilbur for Richmond Catharine Knowles and Sarah Kinyon who being called are all present,- The Querie were read in this meeting and answers ~~to the~~ agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by our representatives Martha Hazard and Lydia Collins.- South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Deborah R Carpenter has removed to live within the compass of Uxbridge Monthly Meeting and requests a certificate from this meeting. Mercy Dockray is appointed to take the necessary care and if she finds nothing to hinder to prepare one and present to our next Meeting.— This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came before them

Mary Wilbur CLK

5th At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held 22nd of 5th mo 1815. The accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for So. Kingston Joanna Hazard & Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkinton Mary Collins & Sarah Collins for Richmond Eunice Foster and Martha Kinyon who being called are all present, One of the friends appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting informed that they attended agreeable to appointment— The friend who was appointed to prepare a certificate for Deborah R Carpenter not having presented one that business is referred till our next Meeting.— Richmond preparative Meeting informs that Hannah Robinson woman of colour requests to be taken under the care of friends, This meeting appoints Mary Collins and Martha Hazard to visit her on that account and report to our next Monthly Meeting their judgment respecting her suitableness for a member.

The clerks having fulfilled the term of their appointment are reappointed for the ensuing year

Mary Wilbur Clk

6th At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held 26th of 6th mo 1815 The accounts from the several preparative meetings being received the representatives are for So Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles & Ann Brown for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Sarah Collins junr for Richmond Catharine Knowles & Sarah Hoxsie whose names being call'd they are all present

The friend who was appointed to prepare a certificate for Deborah R Carpenter has presented one which we approve the clerk is directed to record & forward it, which is as follows

Deborah R Carpenter's Certificate

To Uxbridge Monthly Meeting in the State of Massachusetts of Women friends Dear friends

Deborah R Carpenter ~~having removed~~ now residing ~~to live~~ within the compass of your Monthly Meeting requests our certificate This is to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our meeting and clear of marriage engagements amongst us, As such we recommend her to your christian care oversight with desires for her preservation & establishment in the truth — Signed in and on behalf of South Kingston Monthly Meeting held 26th of 6th mo 1815

by Mary Wilbur Clerk

The committee appointed to visit Hannah Robinson on her request to be admitted into membership with us report that they have had a ~~satis~~ satisfactory opportunity with her & finding her to be one in principle with us & according to their judgment in a suitable frame of mind to become a member they think well of her requests being granted

298/ which being united with by this & the men's meetings she is admitted a member. — The representatives having propos'd Mary Robinson Martha Hazard Sarah Hazard Hannah Knowles Mary Collins & Sarah Collins junr for overseers they are appointed for the ensuing year with the unity of our men friends South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Amy Knowles Wife of Henry Knowles requests to become a member of our society This meeting appoints Lucy Anna Knowles & Ann Brown to take a solid opportunity with her and report to our next meeting Received a copy of minute from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting in favor of Parthania Munro junr which is as follows —

From the Monthly Meeting of women friends held at East Greenwich 29th of 3 mo 1815 — Parthania Munro jun informs that she expects to spend several months within the limits of So Kingston Monthly Meeting — She being a member in unity with us the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute Signed by direction of the meeting

Hannah G Arnold Clerk

7th

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 24th of 7th mo 1815 The accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for So Kingstn Mary A Robinson & Martha Hazard for Hopkinton Lydia Wilbur & Sarah Congdon for Richmond Sarah Hazard & Susanna Knowles being call'd are all present, the Committee appointed to visit Amy Knowles on her request to be admitted into membership with us report that they have had a satisfactory opportunity with her and finding her to be one in principle with us and according to their judgment in a suitable frame of mind to become a member. they think well of her requests being granted Accordingly with the unity of our men friends she is admitted a member. The Queries were read in this meeting & answers agreed on to the three usually answered and an account thereof Which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly meeting in our representatives Mary A Robinson [illegible] Peckham

Two of the overseers informed this meeting that they met as usual and considered such business as came before them

Our beloved friend Sarah Wilbur in a weighty manner spread before this meeting a concern that had for some time impressed her mind to pay a religious visit to friends within the compass of Nine Partners Stanford and Duanesburgh Quarterly Meetings which after a season of solid consideration was feelingly united with — This meeting adjourns to the 10th hour tomorrow morning Third day morning met agreeable to adjournment representatives all present except Susan Knowles. Our friend Sarah Wilbur having in a preceding sitting opened a concern which impressed her mind to pay a religious visit to friends in some parts of the state of New York obtained the concurrence of this and the mens meetings and a certificate is granted her for the purpose she being a minister in good esteem with us, with desires that she may be favored to return when her services are accomplished with the reward of peace in her own mind

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk
for the day

8th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 28th of 8th mo 1815 the accounts from each preparative meetings being received the representatives for South Kingston Hannah Carpenter & Ann [illegible] for Hopkinton Lydia Collins & Bathsheba Congdon for Richmond Eunice Foster & Sarah Hoxsie who being call'd are all present — The friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment — The London printed Epistle of ~~last~~ 1815 containing much instructive counsel has been acceptably received & read we hope to the encouragement of many minds —

Mary Wilbur Clerk

9th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 9th mo 1815 the accounts from each preparative meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Alice Knowles & Hannah Hazard for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Mina Carr for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie and Esther Hazard who being called are present except two

Mary Wilbur Clerk

10th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23d of 10th mo 1815 The accounts from the several preparative meetings being received the representatives are for South Kingston Martha Hazard and Dorcas Babcock for Hopkinton Dinah Collins & Mary Collins for Richmond Eunice Foster & Sarah Hazard being called are all present except one who sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence. The Queries were read in this meeting and answers agreed on and an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Dinah Collins & Phebe Collins whom we appoint representatives — The subject of appointing overseers to inspect and relieve the necessities of the poor being revived in this meeting we appoint Martha Hazard & Dinah Collins junr and Eunice Foster to attend to that service the ensuing year — This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came before them — Mary Wilbur Clerk

11th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 11th mo 1815 the accounts from each preparative Meeting being received the representatives are for So. Kingston Ann Browne & Mary Peckham for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur & Sarah Congdon for Richmond Catharine Kenyon & Elizabeth Hoxsie being called are present except two who sent satisfactory reasons for their absence, This meeting is informed that the friends appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment. South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Watson Wife of Jeffery desires to be admitted into membership with us. We appoint Susanna Knowles & Joanna Hazard to take a solid opportunity with her on that account and report to our next Monthly Meeting their judgment of her suitableness to become a member, Our friend Sarah Wilbur having performed her visit to friends in some parts of the state of New York as she expresses to her own peace and satisfaction returned her certificate with minutes of approbation from several meetings she attended which are as follows

Our Beloved friend Sarah Wilbur attended this Meeting as also many of the meetings constituting this, her company deportment & religious labors have been satisfactory to us Signed by direction and on behalf of Nine Partners Quarterly Meeting 8th of 11th Month 1815 by Philip Hoag, Clerk
Sarah Dean Clk for the day

To the Monthly Meeting of friends at So Kingston in the State of Rhode Island

Our esteemed friend Sarah Wilbur attended this meeting, her company and religious services were acceptable to us, Signed by direction of Stanford Quarterly Meeting in the State of New York held the 10th of 11th Mo. 1815
By Charles Hoag Clerk
Mary Coffin Clerk for the day

Our beloved friend Sarah Wilbur attended this Meeting with a certificate from the Monthly Meeting of South Kingston and an endorsement from Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting, her company and religious services were truly acceptable to us
Signed in and on behalf of Hudson Monthly Meeting held there 24th of 10th mo 1815 Richard Macy
Margaret Marriott Clks

Gideon Kinyon with his wife and family being about to rem to the state of New York within the limits of Butternuts Montl Meeting requests our certificate accordingly we appoint Sarah Wilbur & Mary Collins to join the men friends in making the necessary enquiry and if they find no obstruction to prepare one & presen to a future Meeting Mary Wilbur Clerk

12th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 25th of 12th Month 1815 The accounts from the severa preparative meetings being present the representatives are for So Kingston Hannah Hazard and Amy Knowles for Hopkinton Mira Carr and Dinah Collins for Richmond Sarah Hazard and Hannah Knowles being called are all present, The committee appointed to visit Elizabeth Watson on her request to be admitted into membership with us report that they have had a satisfactory opportunity with her and believing her to be sincere and one in principle with us they think well of her requests being granted which being united with by this and the men's Meetings she is admitted a member — Parthania Munro junr having spent a few months with us and now being about to return home and her conduct and conversation having been exemplary which has rendered her company agreeable while with us the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute —

This meeting being informed that Sarah Collins Daughter of John stands in need of the advice of her friends with regard to her outward circumstances we appoint Lucy Anna Knowle and Sarah Hazard to join the mens committee in administring suitable advice Mary Wilbur Clerk

1816
1st Month At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 22nd of 1st mo 1816 Accounts being received from each preparative meeting the representatives are for So Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles and Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Catharine Collins and Sarah Congdon for Richmond Martha Kinyon and Sarah Hoxsie who being called are all present. The Queries were read in this meeting and answers agreed on to those usually answered which w

are to forward with the account by our friends Lucy Anna Knowles and Mary Peckham whom we appoint representatives to attend the ensuing Quarterly Meeting. - The friends appointed to prepare a certificate for Gideon Kinyon Wife and children namely Mary Sarah Martha Deborah Catharine Elijah Gideon and Bathsheba, finding nothing to hinder have produced one which is approved and signed by the clerks. —

M W Clerk

2 m. At St Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 26th of 2nd mo 1816 Accounts being received from each preparative meeting the representatives are for St Kingston Ann Browne and Alice Knowles for Hopkinton Thankful Collins and Mira Carr for Richmond Eunice Foster and Elizabeth Hoxsie who being called are all present. - This Meeting is informed that the friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment - Our beloved friends Rachel Barnard and Elizabeth Pennock from Kennet and Londongrove Monthly Meetings in Pennsylvania being with us at this time and their company being acceptable certificates expressive thereof are prepared for them which are as follows

To Kennet Monthly Meeting Chester County state of Pennsylvania, Our beloved friend Rachel Barnard attended this Meeting having previously attended all the Meetings constituting this with a certificate of concurrence from your Monthly Meeting whose company and religious labour have been acceptable to us. Signed in and on behalf of South Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond 26th of 2nd mo 1816 by

Mary Wilbur } Clerks
Isaac Wilbur

To Londongrove Monthly Meeting Chester County Pennsylvania Our beloved friend Elizabeth Pennock in company with Rachel Barnard attended this and other meetings within our limits with a copy of minute from your Monthly Meeting whose company is acceptable to us, Signed in and on behalf of South Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond 26th of 2nd mo 1816 by

Mary Wilbur } Clerks
Isaac Wilbur

Richmond preparative Meeting informs that Susanna Perry requests to be taken under the care of friends accordingly we appoint Mercy Dockray ~~and~~ Ann Browne and Sarah Hazard to take a solid opportunity with her on that accoun and report to our next Monthly Meeting — The London Genera Epistle of 1815 containing much affectionate counsel and encou agement was received and read at this time M Wilbur Clerk

3d At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 25th of 3d mo 1816 the accounts from the several preparative meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Amy Knowles and Mary Nichols for Hopkinton Susanna Collins and Sarah Collins junr for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie and Catharine Kinyon being calld are all present. The friends who were appointed to take an opportunity with Susanna Perry not having attended thereto the business is referred under their care, the committee appointe to advise Sarah Collins report as follows, - We your committe appointed to advise and assist Sarah Collins report, that as soon as she heard that the Monthly Meeting had appointed a committee for that purpose she left this country not giving us an opportuni to see her, But previous to this the overseers had an opportunity with her and advised her to collect what property she had and get her some steady home as she was destitute of one and if she could not perform it herself to get some person to assist her therein and endeavor to establish herself in some business to support herself in a reputable way and not be travelling from place to place in a disreputable manner, which she refused to comply with, and we further report that her affairs are in a very unsettled situation and that she does not appear to be in a state of mind to comply with the advice of friends, all which we submit to the Monthly Meeting Next to be holden At Richmond the 25th of 3d mo 1816

Lucy Anna Knowle
Joseph Collins
Isaac Wilbur
John Congdon

She is accordingly denied from being a member of our society having the unity of our men friends therein Bathsheba Kinyon is appointed to inform her thereof — — — H K Clk for the day

4th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richm 22nd of 4th mo 1816 the accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Martha Hazar & Amy Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Mary Wilbur

15 for Richmond Sarah Hazard & Susan Knowles who being called are present except one, The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers agreed on which we are to forward with the account by our friends Mary A Robinson & Martha Hazard whom we appoint representatives to attend our next Quarterly Meeting, The committee appointed to take an opportunity with Susanna Perry on her request to be admitted into membership with friends report that they have attended to the appointment and believeing her to be orderly and sincere in her request they think well of its being granted, which after solid consideration is united with by this and the mens Meetings and she is received a member, This meeting is informed that the overseers met at the usual time, Transcripts of Epistles from Philadelphia & New York yearly Meeting with Extracts from the minutes of our last yearly Meeting were received and read at this time - - - - - - - - - - - - - - M W Clerk

5 At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 27th of 5th mo 1816 accounts being received from So Kingston & Hopkinton preparative Meeting the representatives are for So Kingston Martha Hazard and Amy Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Mira Carr who being called are present except two one of whom sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence, We are informed that Richmond preparative meeting was not attended by women on account of stormy weather & sickness, This meeting is informed that the friends appointed to attend our last quarterly meeting fulfilled their appointment, The time being expired for which the clerk & assistant were appointed they are re appointed for the ensuing year - - - - - - - - - - M W Clerk

6th At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at 24th of 6th mo 1816 Accounts from ~~each~~ the preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mercy Sockney & Mary A Robinson for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur & Sarah Congdon who being called are all present We are informed that Richmond preparative Meeting was not attended by women - The representatives having proposed Mary Collins Sarah Collins junr Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Hoxsie Amy Knowles Sarah Hazard Mercy Sockney & Lucy Anna Knowles for overseers this together with the mens meeting unites with the proposal & they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year, Received a copy of a minute from Coemans Monthly Meeting informing that on examining their minutes no certificate in favor of Mary Congdon is to be found Elizabeth [illegible] Clerk

306 7th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 22 of 7th mo 1816 Accounts being received from each preparative Meeting, the representatives are for South Kingston Waite & Ann Brown for Hopkinton Sinah Collins & Phebe Collins for Richmond Sarah Hazard & Susan Perry who being called are all present - The Queries were read in this Meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed & an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing quarterly Meeting by our representatives Mercy Lackney & Ann Browne - Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Carr junr requests requests to be taken under the care of friends accordingly we appoint Sarah Willcox & Sarah Hazard to take a solid opportunity with her & report to our next Monthly Meeting their sense of her suitableness to become a member - Whereas Mary Peckham (formerly Congdon) daughter of Charles Congdon who had a right of membership in our religious society & some time past had a removal certificate from this Monthly Meeting to that of Coemans which we find by enquiry has not been received by that Meeting, and she now having returned & transgress the good order of friends by marrying with one not of our society, notwithstanding her having been previously laboured with this Meeting after solid consideration with the unity of our men friends conclude to disown her from being any longer a member untill she shall return and make satisfaction for her transgressions, This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual M W Clerk

8th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 26th of 8th mo 1816 accounts from each preparative meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Anna Carpenter & Joanna Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Carr & Susanna Willcox for Richmond Sarah Hazard & Esther Hazard, being call'd are present except those for Richmond The friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment, The committee appointed to visit Sarah Carr junr on her request to be admitted into membership with friends report that they have had a solid opportunity with her & think her sincere in her request she is therefore with the unity of the men friends received into membership with us, Received a certificate from Nantucket Monthly Meeting in favor of Dorcas Peckham which being read is as follows

To the Monthly Meeting at South Kingston in the state of Rhode Island – Dear friends our beloved friend Dorcas Peckham having removed to reside within the compass of your Monthly Meeting requested our certificate – This may certify that she is a member of this a minister in good esteem and has settled her outward affairs to satisfaction; as such we recommend her to you with desires for her preservation and enlargement in the truth; and remain your friends

Dorcas Peckhams Certificate

Signed in and on behalf of Nantucket Monthly Meeting held 7th Month 25th 1816

George Mitchell } Clerks
Mary Hussey }

South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Ruth Knowles has removed within the compass of East Greenwich Monthly Meeting & requests our certificate; Martha Hazard & Ann Browne are appointed to make the necessary enquiry & if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one & present to our next Monthly Meeting – Transcripts of Epistles from Philadelphia & New York Yearly Meetings with extracts from our last yearly Meetings minutes; that of New York with the extracts have been read in this Meeting containing many pertinent & interesting remarks

Mary Dockray Clerk for the day

9th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23rd of 9 Mo 1816 the accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Amy Knowles & Alice Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Mary Collins for Richmond Sarah Hazard & Esther Hazard being call'd are all present, The friends appointed to prepare a certificate for Ruth Knowles finding nothing to hinder have presented one which is approved & signed by the clerk & is as follows

To East Greenwich Monthly Meeting of Women friends

Dear friends

Ruth Knowles Certificate

Ruth Knowles informs this Meeting that she has removed to a place within the compass of your Monthly Meeting and requests our certificate these are to certify that she is a member of our Monthly Meeting, and on enquiring it appears that her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction, and find nothing to the contrary but that she is clear of marriage engagements

as such we recommend her to your sisterly care & oversig
with desires for her preservation and growth in the truth
Signed on behalf & by direction of South Kingsto
Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9 mo
23d 1816 by Mary Wilbur Clerk

10th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 28th of 10 mo 1816 the accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Lucy Anna Knowl & Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Mina Carr & Lydia Wilbur for Richmond for Richmond Sarah Hazard who being called are all present. The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the 1st 2nd & 11th agreed on which we are to forward with the account to our next Quarterly Meeting by our friends Amy Knowles & Mercy Dockray whom we appoint representat Mary A Robinson Wife of James being proposed for the station of an elder this meeting unites therewith & we are to forwar it to the Quarterly Meeting for its approbation. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Mary Carr Daughter of Peleg Carr requests to be received into membership with friends which being considered by this Meeting we appoint Lydia Wilbur Sarah Wilbur & Sarah Collins junr to take a solid opportunity with her on that account & report to our next Meeting. The overseers report that they have met as usual & considered such busines as came before them relative to the state of society & that care appears to have been extended where necessary. A transcript of the London Epistle was received at this time the reading of which is omitted till our next Monthly Meeting M Wr Clerk

11th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 11th mo 1816 The accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary A Robinson & Elizabeth for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Sarah Collins junr for Richmond Martha Kenyon & Elizabeth Hoxsie being called are all present: One of the friends appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting informs that she attended also that that Meeting has approved of the appointment of of Mary A Robinson to the station of an Elder —

The other was prevented attending by stormy weather
The committee appointed to visit Mary Carr on her request to be admitted into membership with friends report that they have had a solid opportunity with her & believe her to be sincere therein of an orderly life & conversation and suitable to become a member of our society, accordingly with the unity of our men friends she is admitted into membership; the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute. A Transcript of the London Epistle of 1815 with the London printed Epistle of the same year have been received & read at this time containing much important counsel & encouragemt which we hope will be profitably treasured up. — It having arisen in the minds of some friends that it would be productive of usefulness to hold a first day afternoon Meeting in the neighborhood of Perrys Iron works & it having so far claimed the attention of the men friends that they have appointed a committee to consider the subject in which this Meeting thinks best to join them, accordingly Sarah Wilbur Mary Collins Anna Wilbur & Lydia Wilbur are appointed to unite with them in deliberating on the subject & report to a future Meeting M W Clerk

12th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 22nd of 12th mo 1816 the accounts from each preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Hannah Hazard & Amy Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Catharine Collins for Richmond Sarah Hazard & Elizabeth Hoxsie being calld are all present —
The committee appointed to consider the subject of holding a first day afternoon meeting in the neighborhood of Perry's Iron works, report, that they have had a conference on the subject & think it will be safe to leave the friends of that neighborhood at liberty to commence an afternoon Meeting once in 2 weeks when suitable, which being considered by this Meeting we are united in sentiment with the committee & they are accordingly left at liberty by informing this meeting of their conclusion, affording it an opportunity to appoint a committee to attend some of the first sittings if it should be thought best

1817
1st Month At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 27th of 1st mo 1817 The accounts from each preparative Meeting being received the representatives are for So Kingston Alice Knowles and Mary A Robinson for Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Bathsheba Kenyon for Richmond Hannah Knowles and Sarah Hoxsie who being called are all present. The Queries were read in this meeting, and answers selected from those received from the preparative meetings which we are to forward with the account by ~~Ann~~ Dorcas Peckham and Mary A Robinson whom we appoint representatives to attend the ensuing Quarterly Meeting. A Transcript of an Epistle from Philadelphia yearly Meeting was acceptably read at this time. This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual. M W Clerk

2nd At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 24th of 2nd mo 1817. The accounts from South Kingston and Richmond preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for So Kingston Ann Browne & Mercy Dockray for Richmond Hannah Knowles & Elizabeth Hoxsie On account of a severe storm none present except Hannah Knowles
H K Clerk for the day

3rd At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 24th of 3rd mo 1817 Accounts from each preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mercy Dockray & Ann Browne for Hopkinton Mira Carr & Dinah Collins for Richmond Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Rathbun, being called are present except two one of whom sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence This Meeting is informed that one of the representatives appointed in the 1st mo to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment, & a satisfactory reason was rendered for the non attendance of the other
We are informed that the account from Hopkinton preparative Meeting was not received at our last Meeting on account of a severe storm which prevented the representatives attending

4th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 21st of 4th mo 1817, the accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives for South Kingston Mary D Brown & Alice R Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon & Lydia Wilbur junr for Richmond Hannah Simmons & Sarah Hazard being called are all present - The Queries were read in this meeting & answers agreed on which we are to forward with the account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Elizabeth Peckham & Mercy Dockray whom we appoint representatives

This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met & considered such business as came before them in which it appeared some care had been taken respecting apparent deficiencies - The subject of holding a first day afternoon Meeting at Hopkinton being received in this Meeting Mercy Dockray Dorcas Peckham Sarah Hazard & Amy Knowles are appointed to join the men's committee in having the oversight thereof. - This Meeting concludes proposing to meet again in the 5th mo at South Kingston Upper Meeting house if permitted.

M W Clerk

5th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 26th of 5th Month 1817 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Martha Hazard and Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Martha Collins & Mary Wilbur for Richmond Elizabeth Watson & Eunice Foster who being called are all present One of the friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting informed that they attended agreeable to appointment - South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Rebecca Segar Wife of Thomas Segar requests to be taken under the care of friends which claiming the attention of this Meeting Sarah Hazard & Mary A Robinson are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her on that account & report to our next Monthly Meeting their sense of her suitableness to become a member - The time being expired for which the clerk was appointed she is reappointed for the ensuing year M W Clerk

6th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 23d of 6th mo 1817 Accounts from each preparative meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Alice Knowles & Catharine Boss for Hopkinton Phebe Collins & Sarah Congdon for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Hoxsie who being called are present except one One of the friends appointed to take an opportunity with Rebecca Segar on her request to be admitted into membership with friends informs that they have attended to the appointment but are not ready to report, the business is referred under their care — The representatives having proposed Mary Collins Sarah Collins junr Mary A Robinson Lucy Anna Knowles Dorcas Babcock Sarah Hazard and Hannah Knowles for overseers this meeting unites therewith & they are appointed to that station for the ensuing year This Meeting unites with the men's Meeting in approving the public appearances in the ministry of Henry Knowles

Mary Willbur Clk

7th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 20d of 7th Month 1817 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being received the representatives are for S K Hannah Carpenter & renewed Carpenter for Hopkinton Lydia Willbur & Mary Collins for Richmond Sarah Hazard and Sarah Hoxsie being called are all present — The case of Rebecca Segar remains under the care of the same committee — The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers agreed on to those usually answered, which with the account we forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by our representatives Amy Knowles & Sarah Collins jr The overseers report that they have met & considered such business as came before them. —— Received a certificate from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting in favor of Ruth Knowles which is as follows

Having some time past received the within certificate on behalf of Ruth Knowles from So Kingston Monthly Meeting & she being about to return back again requests a few lines from this Meeting. these are to certify on her behalf that she retained her right of membership whilst with us, as such we recommend her to your Christian care & oversight with desires for her growth in the truth. — from E Green Monthly Meeting held at Cranston 30th of 6th mo 1817 Anna Anthony Clerk

This was indorsed on a certificate from this Meeting to E Greenwich

18. At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held

8 25th of 8th mo 1817 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Hannah Hazard & Mary Dockray for Hopkinton Mira Carr and Sarah Congdon for Richmond Elizabeth Watson & Sarah Hazard who being called are all present — The committee appointed to take an opportunity with Rebecca Segar on her request to be admitted into membership with friends report as follows

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of friends to be held 25th of 8th Month 1817 We your committee appointed to visit Rebecca Segar on her request to be admitted into membership with friends report that they have had a solid opportunity with her on that account & she appearing in a good degree sincere we think well of her requests being granted

Sarah Hazard
Mary A Robinson
Andrew Nichols junr
John Wilbur —

Which after solid consideration is united with by this & the men's meeting & she is admitted a member —— The friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment —— The subject of appointing an assistant clerk being revived in this meeting Elizabeth Peckham is reappointed for the year ensuing. ——— M W Clerk

9th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 9th mo 1817 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Amy Knowles & Mary A Robinson for Hopkinton Mary Collins & Mira Carr for Richmond Eunice Foster & Sarah Hazard being called are all present Transcripts of Epistles from Philadelphia New York Baltimore & Ohio Yearly Meetings with extracts from the minutes of our last yearly Meeting were received at this time, one from Philadelphia & Ohio with the extracts were read we trust to Edification. — This meeting is informed that Solomon B Hoys has a prospect of removing with his family to some part of the state of Pennsylvania & desires a certificate Mary A Robinson & Sarah Hazard are appointed

to joine the mens committee in making the necessary
enquiry & if they find nothing to hinder in preparing
a certificate to present to our next Monthly Meeting

Mary Willbur Clerk

10th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends
held at Hopkinton 27th of 10th Month 1817 Accounts from
South Kingston & Hopkinton preparative Meetings being
present the representatives are for South Kingston
Dorcas Peckham & Hannah Carpenter for Hopkinton
Sarah Collins junr & Lydia Willbur being calld are present
except one —— The Queries were read in this Meeting
and answers agreed on to those usually answered & an account
prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly
Meeting by Sarah Willbur Dinah Collins & Mary Willbur
whom we appoint representatives. —— The friends
appointed finding nothing to obstruct have prepared a
certificate for Solomon B Boys & his Wife Catharine
& their Children Lucy Anna & Sarah to Bridgewater
Monthly Meeting in the state of New York, which is
approved & signed by the clerks of both Meetings. —
This meeting is informed that part of the overseers
met at the usual time & it appeared that some care
had been taken where it appeared necessary ——
South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that
Mary Carpenter has a prospect of removing to the state
of New York to reside & requests a certificate from this
Meeting, Amy Knowles & Alice Knowles are appointed
to make the necessary enquiry & if they find nothing
to hinder to prepare an essay of one and present to our
next Monthly Meeting —— The transcripts of Epistles
from New York & Baltimore yearly Meetings the reading
of which was omitted last month have been read at this
time to a degree of comfort & satisfaction. M W Clerk

11th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends
held at Hopkinton 24th of 11th mo 1817 Accounts from the
several preparative Meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Hannah Hazard junr
& Mary A Robinson for Hopkinton Phebe Collins

3.15 and Bathsheba Kinyon for Richmond Hannah Knowles
and Elizabeth Morse being calld are all present
The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting
inform that they attended and delivered the account with
the answers — The friends appointed finding nothing
to hinder have presented a certificate for Mary Carpenter
which with some addition is approved & signed & is as follows

To the Monthly Meeting of friends at Bridgewater
in the state of New York

Our friend Mary Carpenter
informed this Meeting she had a prospect of removing
to the town of Smyrna within the compass of your
Meeting & requested our certificate — this is to certify
that she is a member of our society, has settled her outward
affairs to satisfaction as far as appears & is clear of Marriage
engagements — We recommend her to your notice with
desires for her preservation in the truth — Signed
on behalf of South Kingston Monthly Meeting held at
Hopkinton 24th of 11th Month 1817 by Isaac Wilbur Clks
Mary Wilbur

12th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women
friends held at Richmond 22nd of 12th Month 1817 The
accounts from the preparative Meetings all being
present the representatives for So. Kingston are
Alice Knowles & Rebecca Segar for Hopkinton
Sarah Wilbur & Sarah Collins junr for Richmond
Hannah Knowles & Eunice Foster all being present
except 1 — This Meeting is informed that the
friends belonging to South Kingston Upper Meeting
request to have a preparative Meeting held by themselves
at their Meeting house. We appoint Sarah Collins Jr.
Hannah Knowls & Alice Knowles to join the mens
committee in considering the propriety of granting
their request & report to our next Monthly Meeting

Susanna Collins Clerk
for the day

1818 At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women fri
1st Month held at Richmond 26th of 1st Month 1818 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the represen are for So Kingston Susan Knowles & Mary D. Brow for Hopkinton Deborah Collins & Mary Wilbur for Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Hannah Knowles who being called are all present. — The Queries were read in this Meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed on & an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham whom we appoint representatives. This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met at the usual time & considered such business as came before & it appeared care had been taken on account of deviations. — South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Babcock daughter of Augustus Babcock deceased desires to become a member of our society which claiming the serious attention of this meeting Dorcas Peckham & Sarah Collins junr are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her on that account & report to our next Monthly Meeting. — The committee appointed to ~~consider~~ the propriety of ~~holding~~ allowing a preparative Meeting to friends of the upper Meeting house in South Kingston report, that they have met & conferred on the subject & think well that the privilege be granted them of holding a meeting by the name of the Western preparative Meeting to be held on 4th day of the week preceeding the day on which the other preparative Meetings are held which concurring with the sentiments of this & the mens meetings it is accordingly established. — This meeting is informed that Henry Knowles & wife request a certificate for themselves & children removal to Bridgewater Monthly Meeting in the state of New York which claiming the attention of this Meeting Amy

817 Knowles & Mary D Browne are appointed to join the mens committee in making the enquiry prescribed by our discipline in such cases & if they find nothing to hinder to prepare an essay of a certificate & present to our next Monthly Meeting Also to make enquiry respecting Thomas R Knowles family who have removed to the state of New York without a certificate & prepare one for them if no obstruction appears

M W Clerk

2nd At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 23d of 2nd mo 1818 Accounts from each preparative meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Ann Browne & Alice Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Collins junr & Sarah Wilbur for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Hoxsie for South Kingston Western preparative Meeting Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham being call'd are present except 2 for whose absence satisfactory reasons were rendered One of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting informed they attended agreeable to appointment One of the friends appointed to take an opportunity with Sarah Babcock informed they had attended to the appointment but were not ready to report the business is referred under their care— The friends appointed have prepared a certificate for Henry Knowles his wife Susanna & their children Henry A Knowles Susanna Knowles & Mary A Knowles to Bridgewater Monthly Meeting in the state of New York which being read is approved & signed by the clerks of both Meetings.— This Meeting is informed that Ann Knowles has a prospect of spending a few months with her brother Henry Knowles at Whitestown within the compass of Bridgewater Monthly Meeting & she being a member of our Meeting the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute The business respecting Thomas R Knowles & familys having a certificate is referred till our next Meeting

318 We received & read at this time the London general Epistle of 1817 containing pertinent admonitions & excellent advice which we hope will be lastingly beneficial. —
M W Clerk

3d At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 23d of 3d Month 1818 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary Dockray & Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Mary Collins & Catharine Collins for Richmond for Richmond Hannah Knowles & Catharine Kinyon for Western Sarah Hazard & Rebecca Segar who being calle are all present. — The committee appointed to take an opportunity with Sarah Babcock j report that they have performed the service & believe her request proceeds from the convincing principle of truth operating on the mind. And this Meeting after solid consideration thinking it best to grant her request she is accordingly admitted a member of our society having the unity of our men friends therein The committee in the case of Thomas R Knowles & family not being ready to report the business is referred under their care. — This meeting is informed that Bathsheba Congdon has removed to reside within the limits of Deruyter Monthly Meeting in the state of New York & requests our certificate — & on enquiry nothing appearing to obstruct a certificate for her is prepared approved & signed which is as follows. —

Bathsheba Congdon's Certificate

To friends of Deruyter Monthly Meeting in the state of New York — Dear friends

Bathsheba Congdon Daughter of Charles Congdon having removed to reside within the limits of your Meeting requests our certificate — this is therefore to certify on her behalf that she is a member in unity with us, that her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction, & she is clea

8 marriage engagements as far as appears - As such we recommend her to your notice with desires for her preservation and growth in the truth. - Signed in and on behalf of South Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond 23d of 3d Month 1818 - by

Mary Wilbur Clerk

Our friend Mary A Robinson informed this Meeting that she had a prospect of attending the ensuing Yearly Meeting at Philadelphia, & she being an Elder in good esteem with us the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends
4 held at Richmond 27th of 4th mo 1818 - Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives for South Kingston Mary A Robinson & Ann Browne for Hopkinton Bathsheba Kenyon & Sarah Congdon for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Hoxsie for Western Amy Knowles & Rebecca Segar being called are present except one who sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence - The queries were read in this Meeting and answers agreed on which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by our representatives Amy Knowles & Sarah Hazard. - South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Renewed Carpenter has been keeping company on account of Marriage with one not of our society which claiming the attention of this Meeting Mercy Dockray & Ann Browne are appointed to take an opportunity with her on that account and report to our next Monthly Meeting. - Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Asa Tyson & Dinah Collins propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this Meeting

they accordingly appeared in this Meeting & declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage. Anna Wilbur & Sarah Congdon are appointed to enquire into Dinah Collins clearness respecting Marriage engagements & report to our next Monthly Meeting. This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met at the usual time and considered such business as came before them.

M W Clerk

5th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 25th of 5th Month 1818

Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Martha Hazard & Joanna Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Wilbur & Mary Carr for Richmond Sarah Hoxie & Hannah Knowles for Western Sarah Hazard & Waite Babcock being called are present except 2 one of whom sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence This Meeting is informed that the friends appointed attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment The committee appointed to visit Ebenezer Carpenters ~~that~~ informs they have attended to the appointment ~~but are not ready to report~~ and she does not manifest a disposition to desist therefrom, which being considered by this Meeting it is thought best to refer it under the care of the same committee. The representatives having proposed Mary A Robinson, Lucy Anna Knowles, Ann Browne, Amy Knowles, Sarah Hazard, Hannah Knowles, Elizabeth Hoxie, Sarah Collins, junr Mary Carr and Mary Collins, for overseers they are appointed to that station for the year ensuing having the unity of our men friends therein.

1 The committee appointed to enquire into Dinah Collins
clearness respecting Marriage report that they find nothing
to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Asa Sison
& they having produced consent of parents are at liberty
to proceed by keeping to the good order established among
friends Sarah Wilcox & Mary Wilcox are appointed to
attend the solemnization of their said Marriage likewise
the house where they retire & report to our next
Monthly Meeting — The representatives having pro
posed Mary Wilcox & Elizabeth Peckham for clerks
and this Meeting uniting therewith they are appointed
to that service for the year ensuing — The business
respecting Thomas R Knowles family is again referred
The committee appointed to attend the Meeting which
was granted near Perry's Iron Works & to consider the
propriety of continuing it, report that they think it
has been useful to some friends thereabouts & recommend
its continuance once a month the ensuing season —
with which this Meeting unites & friends feel easy
to leave the care of it to the committee which the
men friends may appoint for the purpose — M W Clerk

6th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends
held 22nd of 6th mo 1818 Accounts from each preparative
meeting being present the representatives are for So Kingston
Mercy Dockray & Lucy Anna Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Collins
& Susanna Collins for Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Sarah
Hoxsie for Western Susanna Perry & Amy Knowles who being
called are present except one who sent a satisfactory excuse for her
absence. The business respecting Thomas R Knowles & familys
certificate is again referred. The committee appointed to attend
the marriage of Asa Sison & Dinah Collins report that they
attended to the appointment & it was conducted to satisfaction —

The business respecting Renewed Carpenter is referred under the care of the same committee. The copy of minute which was prepared for Mary A. Robinson & no 28 is returned to this meeting

E P Clerk for the day

7th At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 27th of 7th Month 1818 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Alice Knowles & Mary Hazard for Hopkinton Mary W Collins & Mary Wilbur for Richmond Catharine Knowles & Hannah Knowles for Western Elizabeth Peckham & Rebecca Segar being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were rendered. The Queries were read in this meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed on & an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Elizabeth Peckham & Mary A Robinson whom we appoint representatives. Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Dinah Tifton wife Asa requests a removal certificate to Providence Monthly Meeting Mary Collins & Mary Wilbur are appointed to prepare one & present to next meeting if they find nothing to obstruct. The business respecting Thomas R Knowles & family is again referred. This meeting is informed that the overseers met at the usual time & considered such business as came before them. The members of the select meeting having proposed Amy Knowles to the station of an Elder this meeting with that of men friends unites therewith information of which is to be forwarded to the Quarterly Meeting for its approbation

M W Clerk

8th At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 24th of 8th Month 1818. Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Hannah Carpenter and Joanna Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Collins junr and Mary Carr for Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Sarah Hoxsie for Western Amy Knowles & Esther Hazard being called are present except 1 who sent a satisfactory reason for absen

23 This meeting is informed that the friends appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting fulfilled their appointment. The friends appointed produced an essay of certificate for Dinah Sisson which being read is approved & is as follows

To Providence Monthly Meeting of Women friends

Dear friends - Dinah Sisson wife of Asa Sisson having removed to live within the compass of your Monthly Meeting requests our certificate, these are therefore to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our meeting of an orderly life & conversation and a steady attender of Meetings and her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction.— As such we recommend her to your notice with desires for her preservation and furtherance in the truth— Signed on behalf of South Kingston Monthly Meeting held 24th of 8th mo 1818

by Mary Wilbur Clerk—

The business respecting Thomas R Knowle's family is again referred. Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Josiah Shove & Sarah Wilbur propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this meeting, they accordingly appeared in this Meeting & declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage - Sarah Collins junr & Mary Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage engagements & report to next meeting

M W Clerk

9th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 21st of 9th Month 1818 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for So Kingston Hannah Hazard & Ann Browne for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur junr & Mary Cox for Richmond Hannah Knowle & Catharine Kenyon for Western Dorcas Peckham & Dorcas Peckham

824 who being called are all present. This Meeting is informed that the Quarterly Meeting united with this in the appointment of Amy Knowles to the station of an Elder which information was omitted last month.- The committe appointed to enquire into Sarah Wilburs clearness respecting marriage report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Josiah Shove, They are therefore at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order established among friends Mary Collins & Sarah Collins junr are appointed to attend the solemnization of their said marriage and the house where they retire & report to next Meeting — The business respecting Thomas R Knowles's family is again referred

M W Clerk

10th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 10th mo 1818
Accounts from each preparative meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Mary Dockray & Lucy Anna Knowles for Hopkinton Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur junr for Richmond Martha Kinyon & Elizabeth Hoxsie for Western Amy Knowles & Sarah Hazard being called are all present The Queries were read in this meeting & answers to the 1st 2d & 10th agreed on & an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Amy Knowles & Catharine Collins whom we appoint representatives.. The committee in the case of Renewed Carpenter now Wilbur inform that she is married contrary to the repeated advice & admonitions of friends, & the subject having been solidly considered by this meeting she is denied the privilege of membership in our society having the concurrence of the men friends therein.— The committee appointed to attend the marriage of Josiah Shove & Sarah Wilbur report that they think it was satisfactorily conducted.—

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Sarah Shove wife of Josiah requests a removal certificate to Uxbridge Monthly Meeting. Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur are appointed to make the necessary enquiry & if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one & present to next meeting. Hopkinton preparative meeting also informs that Job Munro & Phebe Collins propose publishing their intention of marriage before this meeting, they accordingly appeared and expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage which being noticed they were referred to men friends, they likewise produced their parents consent in writing. Lydia Wilbur & Susanna Cole were appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage engagements & report to next meeting. — The subject of the due attendance of week day meetings being brought before this meeting & a fear prevailing that some were deficient in this duty for want of exertion the meeting after seriously considering the subject think best to appoint Hannah Hazard junr Lucy Anna Knowles Mary Collins & Mira Carr to join the men's committee in endeavoring to encourage such as appear delinquent to exert themselves in the performance of this duty. Received at this time from Mary Collins daughter of Hezekiah deceased an acknowledgement & request to be restored to membership which is as follows. —

Acknowledgement Mary Collins

Whereas I many years ago went to a marriage contrary to the rules established among friends and being treated with by friends for the same promised if I saw it right I would condemn it, & being afflicted in my mind for years respecting the same I do heartily & sincerely condemn my going to said marriage & desire to be received into membership with friends again hoping I may be preserved from every wrong thing in future Mary Collins

Hopkinton 9th mo 8th 1818

To The monthly Meeting to be held at Hopkinton

This meeting after solidly considering the subject think best to accept the foregoing acknowledgement & she is accordingly restored to membership with the unity of the men's meeting. Mary Collins Dorcas Peckh. & Sarah Congdon are appointed to visit & inform her of the same. The committee appointed have presented an essay of certificate for Thomas R Knowles his wife Lydia & their children Elizabeth & Hannah to Bridgewater Monthly Meeting in the state of New York which is approved & signed by the clerk — We are informed that the overseers met at the usual time & considered such business as come before them.

Mary Wilbur Clerk

11th At S. Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23d of 11th Month 1818. Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary A Robinson & Alice Knowles for Hopkinton Anna Wilbur & Lydia Wilbur for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Hoxsie for Western Sarah Hazard & Amy Knowles, being called are present except two. The friends appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment. — Those appointed have prepared an essay of certificate for Sarah Shove which is approved & is as follows. —

Sarah Shoves Certificate

From South Kingston Mo Meeting of friends held at Hopkinton 23d of 11th Month 1818
To Uxbridge Monthly Meeting — Dear friends
Sarah Shove wife of Josiah Shove having removed to Mendon a place within the compass of your Monthly Meeting desires our certificate; this is to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our society & a minister in good esteem with us, that her life & conversation is examplary & on enquiry it appears that her ~~outward~~ temporal concerns are settled to satisfaction. As such we recommend her to your notice & sympathy.
Signed on behalf of the Meeting aforesaid, Isaac Wilbur Clk
by Mary Wilbur

327 The committee appointed to make enquiry respecting Phebe Collins report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Job Munro, & he appearing clear they are at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order of friends, Lydia Wilbur & Mary Collins wife of Isaac are appointed to attend the solemnization of their said marriage & report to next Meeting

Mary Wilbur Clk

12th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Richmond 28th of 12th Month 1818 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mercy Dockray & Sarah Knowles for Hopkinton Sarah Collins junr & Mary Wilbur for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Hoxsie for Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham, being called are present.

The committee appointed to attend the Marriage of Job Munro & Phebe Collins report that they attended to the appointment & think it was orderly conducted.

M Wilbur Clerk

1819 1st Mo At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 25th of 1st Month 1819 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for So Kingston Hannah Hazard & Ann Browne for ~~Richmond~~ Hopkinton Mary A Collins & Lydia Wilbur for Richmond Martha Kenyon & Rachel Kenyon for Western Rebecca Segar & Dorcas Peckham, being called are present except 1 who sent a satisfactory reason for her absence.— The Queries were read in this Meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed on, which we are to forward with the account by our representatives Mary A Robinson & Ann Browne. Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Abigail Gardner daughter of Abial deceased requests to be admitted into membership with friends We appoint Mira Carr & Sarah Collins to take a solid opportunity with her & report to next Meeting — One of the overseers informed that they met as usual & considered such business as came before them

Elizabeth Peckham Clk for the day

2nd At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women frien held at Richmond 22nd of 2nd mo 1817 Accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives are for So. Kingston Mary D. Brown & Mercy Dockray, for Hopkinton Sarah Collins junr & Mary A. Collins, for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Hoxsie, for Western Eunice Foster & Mary Peckham, being called are all present. This Meeting is informed that the committee to visit Abbagail Gardner have not yet attended to the appointment, & the business is referred under their care. Transcripts of Epistles from London Philadelphia New York Baltimore & Ohio Yearly Meetings with extracts from the minutes of our last yearly meeting were received at this time, & those from London & New York were read we trust to Edification

M Wilbur Clerk

3d At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 22nd of 3d Month 1817 Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for So. Kingston Mary Dockray & Hannah Hazard, for Hopkinton Catharine Collins & Phebe Wilbur, for Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Hoxsie, for Western Rebecca Segar & Amy Knowles being called are present except 2 ~~who~~ one of whom sent a satisfactory reason for her absence. — The committee to visit Abbagail Gardner report that they have attended to the appointment & believe her to be united with us in principle & considering her life conversation & present state of mind think her in a good degree suitable to become a member of our society; which being considered by this meeting she is admitted a member with the unity of our men friends. —

4th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 27th of 4th Month 1817. Accounts from each preparative meet being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mart Hazard & Mercy Dockray, Hopkinton Sarah Carr & Mary Wilbur, Richmond Anna Hoxsie & Martha Kenyon, Western Sarah Hazard & Eunice Foster, all present except one who sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence. —

The queries were read in this meeting & Answers agreed on which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Dorcas Peckham & Mary Wilbur whom we appoint representatives ... Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Anna Wilbur wife of William Wilbur requests that Eliza Wood a child who is under her care may be taken under the care of friends, and the subject having been duly investigated & considered by this & the mens meeting she is admitted a member. We are also informed from Hopkinton that Peter D Healy & Elizabeth Reed propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this meeting, they accordingly appeared in this meeting & expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage. Sarah Carr & Mary Wilbur are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting others and report to next meeting. - Phebe B Munro Wife of Job Munro requests a removal certificate to East Greenwich Monthly Meeting, Mercy Dockray & Elizabeth Pearce are appointed to make the necessary enquiry & if they find no obstruction to prepare one & present to next Meeting. - Received a minute in favor of Ann Knowles from Bridgewater Monthly Meeting in the State of New York stating that her conduct while she resided within the limits of that meeting was such as to render her company acceptable. — Overseers met as usual. —

M W Clerk

P.S. Transcripts of the Philadelphia & Baltimore Epistles were read at this time. This meeting is informed that [illegible] Collins daughter of Isaac Collins expects to spend some time within the compass of East Greenwich Monthly Meeting she being a member of this the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

M W clerk

5th At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held 24th of 5th Month 1814. Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Ann Browne & Lucy Anna Knowles. Hopkinton Susanna Collins & Mary Wilbur. Richmond Catharine [illegible] & Sarah Hoxsie. Western Sarah Hazard & Sarah [illegible]

All present: The representatives to the Quarterly Meeting attended agreeably to appointment. Peter L Shealy & Elizabeth Reed having produced the consent of their parents to their marriage & they appearing clear of all others are at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order established among friends. Mary Collins & Anna Carr are appointed to attend the accomplishment of their marriage & report to next meeting. — Those appointed have prepared a certificate for Phebe C Munro which is approved & is as follows. —

To East Greenwich Monthly Meeting of friends

Phebe C Munro wife of Job Munro having removed with her husband to Plainfield within the limits of your Monthly Meeting, requests our certificate; these are to inform, that she is a member of our Monthly Meeting & in good esteem with us. As such we recommend her to your friendly care & attention with desires for her preservation in the truth. — Signed in & by direction of S Kingst Monthly Meeting held 5th Month 24th 1817 by

Mary Wilbur Clerk

(Phebe C Munro's Certificate)

Richmond preparative meeting informs that Ann Hoxsie daughter of Stephen Hoxsie has conducted in an unbecoming & unchaste manner, which claiming the solid consideration of this meeting - Lucy Anna Knowles & Mary Collins are appointed to take an opportunity with her & report to next meeting. The representatives having proposed Mary A Robinson - Lucy Anna Knowles - Mary Collins - Sarah Collins jun. Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles - Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham for overseers. they are approved by this meeting & appointed to that service for the year ensuing. The time having expired for which the clerk was appointed she is reappointed for the ensuing year. — Transcript of the Ohio Epistle & extracts from the minutes of our last yearly meeting were read at this time M W Clerk —

6th

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 21st of 6th Month 1817. Accounts from each preparative being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary Sachry & Alice Knowles — Hopkinton Bathsheba Wing & Sarah Langdon — Richmond Hannah Knowles & Elizabeth Hoxsie — Westerly Amy Knowles & Rebecca Segar. being called are present except 2 for whose absence satisfactory reasons were rendered. — The committee in the case of Ann Hoxsie report that she does not appear sensible of the depth of her transgression, or the reproach she has brought on society, & the subject having been solidly considered by this meeting, it being thought necessary for the maintenance of our discipline she is disowned as being any longer a member with the approbation of the men's meeting Mary Collins & Anna Wilbur are appointed to inform her of it & draw a testimony of denial & present to next meeting. The committee to attend the marriage of Peter T. Healy and Elizabeth Reed report that it was orderly conducted.

Denial of Ann Hoxsie

„ Received a minute in favor of Mary Hazard wife of
„ Rowland Hazard indorsed on one directed to Middle
„ town Monthly Meeting which is as follows.
„ The within mentioned Mary Hazard, who with her children
„ from peculiar circumstances, has unexpectedly been detained
„ among us several years, having now returned to her former
„ & home within the compass of South Kingston Monthly
„ Meeting in the state of Rhode-Island, we may say her
„ residence here has been acceptable to us. — Signed on
„ behalf of Middle-Town Monthly Meeting Bucks County
„ Pennsylvania 6th of 5th mo 1817 Joshua Knight) Clerks
Elizabeth Mitchell)

Mary Hazard's minute

[illegible] preparative meeting informs that Hannah [illegible] requests to be admitted into membership with friends Mary A Robinson & Amy Knowles are appointed to take an opportunity with her & report to next meeting.

The company & gospel labours of our beloved friend Ruth Hallock from Creek Monthly Meeting & the company & solid deportment of her companion Sarah C Hull from Stanford in the state of New York were instructive & comforting to us at this time: M W Clerk

7th At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 26th of 7th Month 1817 - Accounts being present the representatives are for South Kingston preparative Hannah Carpenter & Mary A Hazard - Hopkinton Mary Collins & Mary Wilcox - Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie and Martha Kenyon - Western Rebecca Segar & Elizabeth Peckham - all present except Elizabeth Hoxsie. — The Queries were read in this meeting & answers agreed on to those usually answered which (with the accounts) we are to forward to the ensuing quarterly Meeting by Ann Browne & Susanna Collins whom we appoint representatives - - Those appointed in the case of Ann Hoxsie junr daughter of Stephen Hoxsie produced a testimony of denial which was read, & the meeting having taken into consideration the attendant circumstances it is thought best to omit the publick reading of it. —
The friends appointed to take an opportunity with Hannah Watson presented a report recommending her reception - & the judgment of this meeting concurring therewith she is admitted a member of our society with the unity of the men's meeting. — Overseers met as usual & considered such business as came before them. The assistant clerk is reappointed for the year ensuing. M W Clerk

8th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends 23d of 8th Month 1817 - Accounts being received from the preparative meetings the representatives are for S Kingston Ruth Hannah Hazard & Mary A Hazard - Hopkinton Mira Carr & Lydia [illegible] - Richmond

Hannah Knowles & Sarah Hoxsie - Western Sarah Robinson & Sarah Hazard - Who all attended. - The friends appointed to attend quarterly meeting inform they complied with that service. - The general Epistle from the yearly meeting of London was read & we hope will be profitably remembered.

Mary A Robinson Clerk

9th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 27th of 7th Month 1817 - The representatives for the several preparative meetings are for South Kingston Mary S Browne & Mary S Hazard - Hopkinton Anna Wilbur & Sarah Collins junr Richmond Sarah Sheffield & Elizabeth Hoxsie - Western Dorcas Peckham & Mary Knowles - all present. - Western preparative meeting informs that Christopher Browning requests that his daughter Amy may be admitted a member of our society Mary Dockray & Dorcas Peckham are appointed to take an opportunity with her & report to next meeting. - Transcripts of Epistles from New-York - Philadelphia Baltimore & Ohio yearly meetings, with extracts from the minutes of our last yearly meeting were received at this time - & those from New York & Philadelphia with the extracts were read, to our instruction and encouragement. - -

M W Clerk

10th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 10th Month 1817. Accounts from the preparative meetings being present the representatives are for South-Kingston Mary Dockray & Lucy Anna Knowles - Hopkinton Susanna Wilbur & Mira Carr - Richmond Catharine Kenyon & Elizabeth Rathbun - Western Hannah Watson & Rebecca Segar - present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered. - The queries were read in this meeting & answers agreed on which we are to forward to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Sarah Collins junr & Alice Knowles whom we appoint representatives. - The committee to visit Amy Browning daughter of Christopher report that they have attended to that service & find in her a desire corresponding

224) with her father's request to be admitted a member of our society the subject having been duly considered by this meeting she is admitted a member with the unity of the men's meeting. — Transcripts of the Baltimore & Ohio epistles were read at this time - - - - - - - - - M W Clerk

11th At South-Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 11th Month 1819 ... Accounts from the preparative meetings being received the representatives are, for South Kingston Ann Knowles & Alice R Hazard - Hopkinton Lydia Collins & Lydia Wilbur junr - Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Ruth Sheffield - Western Mary Peckham & Susanna Perry, All present except Susanna Perry. — Representatives to Quarterly meeting inform they fulfilled their appointment. — Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Elizabeth R Healy wife of Peter A Healy has transgressed the rules of our society by keeping company in a disreputable manner previous to her marriage - & this meeting having deliberated upon the subject appoints Mary A Robinson Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur to visit her on that account, & report to next meeting - - - ———— M W Clerk

12th At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 27th of 12th Month 1819. Accounts from each preparative being present the representatives are as follows for South - Kingston Mercy Dockray & Mary D Browne - Hopkinton Lydia Collins & Bathsheba Kenyon - Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & ~~Bathsheba~~ Catharine Kenyon - Western Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Watson - All present. — The committee in the case of Elizabeth R Healy report that they have visited her & believe her to be in a degree penitent though not fully sensible of the reproach she has brought upon society And the subject having been weightily & deliberately considered by this meeting, & it being thought necessary for the support of our testimony she is disowned as a member of our society till she shall return & make satisfaction for her transgressions. — Doris Peckham is appointed to inform her of the decision of the meeting - - - - ———— M W Clerk

1820 st Month At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends hel at Richmond 24th of 1st Month 1820 – Accounts from each preparative being present the representatives are as follows, for South Kingston Mary T Hazard & Lucy Anna Knowles – Hopkinton Mary Collins & Susanna Collins – Richmond Sarah Sheffield & Elizabeth Rathbun – Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham All present. – The Queries were rea in this meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed on which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mary T Hazard & Lydia Collins whom we appoint representatives. – Our beloved friend Ruth Spencer from Rensselaerville Monthly Meeting in the state of New-York has been with us at this time whose company & labors of love were acceptable to us M W Clerk

Overseers met as usual – – —

2nd At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 21st of 2nd Month 1820 – Accounts from Hopkinton & Richmond preparative meetings being present the representatives are as follows for Hopkinton Mary W Collins & Mary Wilbur – Richmond Hannah Knowles and Elizabeth Hoxsie All present. – We are informed that the extreme difficulty of travelling prevented the holding of South-Kingston & Western preparative meetings. Representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended. M W Clerk

3d At South-Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 27th of 3d Month 1820. Accounts from each preparative being present the representatives are as follows for South Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles & Hannah Carpenter Hopkinton Mary W Collins & Catharine Collins – Richmond Sarah Sheffield & Sarah Hoxsie – Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham – present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered. — A proposal having been made for the appointment of Lydia Wilbur to the station of an elder; & the subject recommended for the consideration of this meeting, after due deliberation it is united with by this & the men's meetings, & is to be referred to the Quarter meeting for its approbation. — M W Clerk —

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 24th of 4th Month 1820. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary P Hazard & Hannah Hazard – Hopkinton Sarah Collins & Ruth Kinyon – Richmond Martha Kinyon & Sarah Hoxsie Western Hannah Watson & Rebecca Segar – All present. — The queries were read in this meeting & answers prepared, which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly Meeting by Mary A Robinson & Dorcas Peckham whom we appoint representatives. – Western preparative informs that Lois Davis requests to be admitted a member of our society. Lucy Anna Knowles Amy Knowles & Dorcas Peckham are appointed to take an opportunity with her & report to next meeting their judgment of her sincerity & suitableness to become a member. — Overseers met as usual. — M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at the Western Meeting house 5th Month 25th 1820 Preparative accounts presented the representatives are, from South Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles & Mary P Hazard – Hopkinton Bathsheba Kinyon & Mary Collins – Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Elizabeth Rathbone – Western Dorcas Peckham & Sarah Babcock who are all present except two. —

This meeting was informed the the representatives to attend Quarterly Meeting attended to their appointment. —

The committee which was appointed to visit Lois Davis report so favorably of the state of her mind as have induced this meeting to grant her request. — in which men friends unite. —

The season having arrived to change or choose overseers the following names were united with by the meeting. Mary A Robinson – Lucy Anna Knowles – Mary Collins – Sarah Collins – Mira Carr Elizabeth Hoxsie – Hannah Knowles Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Watson. — A minute was presented from the Monthly Meeting of Greenwich informing that Polly Collins had returned to reside within the limits of ours which is as follows – This meeting being informed that Polly Collins has returned to South Kingston & requests a few lines shewing her right of membership the clerk is directed to give her a copy of this minute, - Extracted from the minutes of Greenwich E & G Monthly Meeting held at Greenwich 3d of 4th Month 1820 -

Signed by Sarah Searle Clerk -

John Sheffield & Ann Wilbur from Hopkinton preparative Meeting laid their intentions of marriage before this meeting. Mary Collins & Lydia Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearness & report to next Monthly Meeting. - The general London Epistle was acceptably read amongst us, the salutary counsel contained therein we hope will be remembered to advantage.

Mary A Robinson, clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at the western meeting house 26th of 6th Month 1820 preparative accounts being present the representatives are, from So Kingston Hannah Carpenter & Ann Browne - Hopkinton Ruth Kinyon & Susanna Wilbur, - Richmond Hannah Knowles & Sarah Hoxsie - Western Amy Knowles & Sarah Hazard present except 2 whose absence was satisfactorily accounted for. The committe to enquire into Ann Wilburs clearness report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with John Sheffield & they having produced their parents consent are at liberty to proceed by keeping to the order of friends. Mary Collins & Susanna Collins are appointed to attend the accomplishment of their marriage & report to next meeting. Western preparative meeting informs that Mary Tucker daughter of Jabez Tucker requests to be admitted a member of our society. Amy Knowles - Mary P Hazard & Mary A Robinson are appointed to visit her on that account & report to next meeting. A proposal having been made for the appointment of Sarah Collins junr to the station of an elder, it is after solid consideration acceded to by this & the men's meetings & is to be forwarded for the approbation of our Quarterly Meeting. -

Mary Wilbur & Elizabeth Peckham are appointed clerks for the ensuing year. -

M W Clerk

Sc 8 At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 24th of 7th Month 1820 - preparative accounts being receivd the representatives are from South Kingston Ann Carpenter & Mary Dockray - Hopkinton Mary Collins & Sarah Collins junr Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Elizabeth Morsie - Westerly Rebecca Segar & Mary Peckham present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given. — The Queries were read in this meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed on which with the account we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly meeting by Ann Knowles & Hannah Hazard whom we appoint representatives. — The friends appointed to attend the marriage of John Sheffield & Ann Wilbur report that it was orderly conducted — Those who were appointed to visit Mary Tucker have attended thereto but are not ready to report & the business is referred under their care.

Part of the overseers met as usual & considered such business as came before them

M W Clerk -

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held 28th of 8th Month 1820. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are for South Kingston Ann Carpenter & Ann Brown, for Hopkinton Lydia Wilbur & Martha Collins. Richmond Ruth Sheffield & Martha Kenyon Westerly Amy Knowles & Sarah Babcock. All present. The friends appointed to attend quarterly Meeting inform that they complied with that service. Likewise that that Meeting unites with this in the appointment of Sarah Collins junr to the station of an elder. The committee appointed to visit Mary Tucker on her request to be admitted a member of our society report that they feel nothing but that her request may be complied with; after being weightily considered here this meeting unites with her being received into membership, men's meeting concurring therewith. — Extracts were received at this meeting from the minutes of the yearly Meeting school committee recommending that each Monthly Meeting appoint a committee for the purpose of taking care, that such children as are designed for that school be suitably prepared as to plainness of dress & language & furnished with certificates from said committee; We appoint Dorcas Peckham, Mary Collins & Mary E. Hazard to join the mens committee in attending to that service

M H

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 9th Month 1820, Preparative accounts being present the representatives for South Kingston are Hannah Hazard, Alice R. Hazard for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon & ~~Alice~~ Anna Wilbur, Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Sarah Sheffield, Western Hannah Watson & Elizabeth Peckham, present except one who rendered a reasonable excuse for her absence. The company & religious labours of our friends Betsey Purington & Anna Almy have been very acceptable at this time. Elizabeth Peckham clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23d of 10th Month 1820. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary Dockray & Mary A Robinson. Hopkinton Mary Collins & Mira Carr. Richmond Ruth Sheffield & Hannah Knowles. Western Rebecca Segar & Amy Knowles. All present except 2 who rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence. — The queries were read in this meeting & answers prepared for those usually answered which are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by our representatives Catharine Collins & Amy Knowles. Part of the overseers met as usual & considered such business as came before them —

M H clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 11th Month 1820 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are for South Kingston Sarah Knowles, Hannah Hazard. Hopkinton Mary Collins 2nd & Bathsheba Kinyon —

Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Sarah Hoxsie - Western Sarah Hoxsie & Amy Knowles, present except 2 one of whom sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence. — Representatives to quarterly Meeting inform they attended, The London general Epistle of 1820 containing much excellent advice & instruction was received & read at this time. — M W Clerk —

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 25th of 12th Month 1820. Preparative accounts being received the representatives are for South Kingston Mary A Robinson & Mary T Browne — Hopkinton Mary Collins & Sarah Congdon Richmond Hannah Knowles & Catharine Knowles. Western Elizabeth Watson & Elizabeth Peckham. All present except one. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Hannah Gardner desires to be admitted a member of our society, Sarah Collins Sarah Hoxsie & Mary A Robinson are appointed to take an opportunity with her on that account & report to next Meeting - - - - M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 22nd of 1st Month 1821 — preparative accounts being received the representatives are for South Kingston Mary A Robinson & Hannah Hazard - Hopkinton Sarah Collins junr & Mary A Collins Richmond Hannah Knowles & Elizabeth Hoxsie All present. The queries were read & answers prepared for those usually answered. Which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly Meeting by Mary T Browne & Hannah Hazard whom we appoint representatives. — The committee in the case of Hannah Gardner not being ready to report the business is referred to next Meeting. —

South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that
Rachel Taylor has long neglected the attendance of our
meetings & pays no regard to the remonstrance of the
overseers, the subject claimed the notice of the meeting
& is referred to next Meeting for further consideration —
Part of the overseers met at the usual time & considered
such business as came before them. —
The testimony of Mary & Mira Carr concerning their sister
Sarah Carr was read in this Meeting & directed to be recorded
& is as follows. —
She was born at Jamestown the 9th of 5th Month 17[illegible]
her parents though believers in the principles of friends m[illegible]
no profession of religion during the time of her education [illegible]
through their care attended with the divine blessing [illegible]
preserved from the grosser kinds of evil, yet did not fully [illegible]
the importance of religion on her mind till about the 22nd year of
her age, at which time through a merciful visitation of divine
grace, she passively yielded to the cleansing baptism of the
holy spirit & became mercifully leavened into the Lamb like
nature, in which a state she was deeply humbled & made willing
to endure the cross of Christ & despise the shame, not only for
the glory which was set before her, but in obedience to the
her Lord & Master, with whom [illegible]
example & command of [illegible] by his power to be [illegible]
her heart seemed to be replenished, She requested [illegible]
transformed into newness of life
& became a member of the society of friends in the 8th Month
1816; was diligent in attending at the stated times for Divine
Worship, at which seasons her mind appeared to be gathered
inward & centered on God the alone object of that worship
which is spiritual & Divine, for having laboured in
these seasons for the suppression of her own wandering
thoughts on these religious occasions she became [illegible]
measurably acquainted with the soul preserving exercise
of patiently & quietly waiting upon God, & thereby became
an example of gravity & christian meekness both in her
deportment & conversation & thus so far from producing
a gloomy disposition, covered her mind with cheerfulness

and sweetneſs, so that her company & conversation were truly pleasant & savory, for in her was beheld some of the primitive traits of christian simplicity. —

She become indisposed about the middle of the 5th Month 1817. Her disorder proved to be a consumption of which she died the 9th day of the 12th Month following. — In the forepart of her illneſs she said she had been confined several times before when she thought it would have been the last time, & now it seemed long that she was prevented meeting with her friends & spoke doubtful about her ever getting out again, & then endeavored to encourage the children to go to meeting, desiring them to prize the privilege of attending religious meetings. telling them that if they were ever deprived of it by sickneſs as she then was, it would yield them satisfaction if they had always attended when it was in their power. — About 6 weeks before her death she expreſsed a belief that she should not stay long with us, and mentioned that sometime before when she was sitting alone in retirement (which was her daily practice) & contemplating on the subject of parting with so many dear friends at so early a period of her life, it appeared like a hard thing, but while she was thus employed it seemed as though she heard a voice saying, "Lovest thou theese more than me" & from that time she had endeavored to be given up, & then said although it had looked so desirable to spend a little more time with us, she now thought a place in the Kingdom of Heaven far more desirable, & now only desired to be fully aſsured of having a place there adding that she had a hope, & afterwards said she had desired that we her sisters might be continued longer, & that we might be made useful to our younger sister on whose acount she had felt much concern fearing that she would be much exposed to unprofitable company & then expreſsed a similar concern for our brother who did not live at home-

At another time she desired that Phebe Ann would not wear a mourning habit for her when she was gone, having several times before endeavored to convince her that it was inconsistent with Christianity. At another time said that she had been made sensible in this illness that her former afflictions in sickness & general poor health had been a blessing to her as she had been thereby preserved from many hurtful things. & afterwards said that at former times when she had been sick she had asked to get well, but in the present sickness she had not made the request. — At one time she mentioned the loss many sustained by giving way to a rambling mind in religious meetings & that herself had been tried with, but hoped she had been enabled to overcome. — At. time when greatly distress she said she had always desired patience & it had been mercifully granted. She afterwards expressed great thankfulness for the kindness & attention she received & expressed the near feelings & sympathy she had for those who were on a bed of languishing and in want of the comforts of life. About three weeks before her death a neighbor who visited her, after making some enquiry about her complaints said, "I hope you are resigned," to which she calmly replied I have no desire to get well. — About nine days before her close she desired Mary to sit by her and after expressing the quietness that she had over her mind & how she delighted in it, said when thou returns to South Kingston give my affectionate love to Joanna & Benjamin Hazard, & then named several others & said, I never expect to meet with any of them more in this world & added I have for some time thought I should go before Joanna. — A friend who came to see her enquired if she had any prospect of recovering, she replied I have not, could I feel the full assurance I wish to feel of having a place in the Kingdom of rest I have no desire to recover, then said I have always had a hope, & in the course of more conversation, (all of which cannot be recollected) said I mostly enjoy a quiet mind, but feel myself as one of the least among us - At another time she expressed a satisfaction she had felt in the few opportunities she had felt in the few opportunities she had with her friends since her confinement & said I know I have not always done the best that I ~~could~~ might have done but do not feel any thing to stand in my way. On the evening before her removal she gave directions concerning her interment, & in the morning about 6 o clock desired to be raised up, & was exercised in prayer which by reason of the weakness of her voice was not intelligibly understood. She quietly departed about nine the same morning Her rational powers remained unimpaired to the last, and although her distress was great at times, she was enabled to bear it with a remarkable degree of patience & resignation, for she was never known through all to be in the least degree impatient, & that love which was described in primitive times as a true mark of discipleship was conspicuously with her to the end; and we are satisfied that he who called her from the delusive enjoyments & indulgencies of this life to dedication & holiness was graciously pleased to be with her to the last, & has removed her from works to a glorious reward. — — — — — —

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 8th of 2nd Month 1821- Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles & Mary Dockray - Hopkinton Susanna Collins & Mary Wilbur - Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Catharine Knowles - Western Rebecca Segar & Amy Browning - 4 of them attended the others were prevented by ill health and difficulty of travelling. This meeting is informed that Hannah Hazard attended quarterly Meeting agreeably to appointment. Business respecting Hannah Gardner is referred to next meeting. Business respecting Rachel Taylor is also referred. Ann Shepherd having gone to Philadelphia to spend a

15 some time within the compass of Philadelphia Mon this Meeting requests a minute shewing her right of membership, & she being a member of this meeting the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute - - - - - - M H clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 26th of 3d Month 1821 - The accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives for South Kingston are Mary P Hazard & Hannah Hazard Hopkinton Mary A Collins & Mary W Collins - Richmond Sarah Hoxsie & Ruth Sheffield - Western Amy Knowles & Rebecca Segar - being called are all present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is rendered. —
The business respecting Hannah Gardner came before this meeting & not being attended to is referred under the care of the same friends. - The business respecting Rachel Taylor is referred untill another Month. - - - - -
We have received a few lines from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting in favor of Elizabeth Healy's being restored to Membership with friends, after being considered this meeting with the concurrence of the men's meeting approbates her being received. the clerk is directed to ~~furnish~~ forward a copy of this minute to East Greenwich Monthly Meeting

Elizabeth Peckham clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held At Richmond 23d of 4th Month 1821 - The accounts from each preparative Meeting being present the representatives for South Kingston are Mary A Robinson & Alice Knowles - Hopkinton Susanna Co[illegible] & Mary Wilbur Richmond Catharine Knowles & Ruth Sheffield - Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham - present except 1 for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered. — The committee in the case of Hannah Gardner report that they have visited her to satisfaction, she is accordingly admitted a member of our society with the unity of the men's meeting - -

The business respecting Rachel Taylor coming before this meeting & it appearing that the overseers had extended the necessary care without effect, the meeting after due consideration believing it necessary for the ~~support~~ clearing of truth & the support of our discipline concludes to disown her as a member of our society untill she may return & make satisfaction for her transgression having the concurrence of the men's meeting therein. A Removal certificate from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting in favor of Japheth Bicknell his wife Ruth & their children Daniel Isabel Howland & James was received & accepted at this time. — The queries were read in this meeting & answers agreed on which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Mary A Robinson & Mary A Collins whom we appoint representatives. Part of the overseers met as usual & considered such business as came before them - - - - - - - - M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 29th of 5th Month 1821 Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are from South Kingston Mercy Dockray & Mary Dockray Hopkinton Mary A Collins & Sarah Congdon - Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Ruth Bicknell - Western Eunice Foster & Mary Peckham - who being called are all present Friends appointed to attend quarterly Meeting inform that they attended to that service — Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Hoxsie daughter of Stephen Hoxsie hath conducted in a very disorderly manner - having been previously cautioned by the overseers but to no good effect, the meeting after considering the subject think it necessary for the support of Discipline to disown her having the concurrence of mens meeting therein. — The appointment of overseers coming before this meeting the representatives have proposed Mary A Robinson Mary B Hazard Amy Knowles Dorcas Babcoc Sarah Sheffield Hannah Knowles Sarah Collins Mira Ca & Lydia Wilbur which this meeting unite with & they are accordingly appointed. — Richmond preparative meeting informs that Sarah Hoxsie has gone to resid a few months in the state of New York within the limits of New Hartford Monthly Meeting. Dorcas Peck & Sarah Hazard are appointed to take the necessary care & if they find nothing to prevent to prepare one & present to our next meeting. — William S Perry & Lois Davis appeared in this meeting & expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage — this meeting appoints Amy Knowles & Sarah Hazard to enquire into her clearnes thereof & report to next meeting. — It being the judgment of this meeting to make a minute of denial against Elizabeth Hoxsie Sarah Congdon & Elizabeth Hoxsie are appointed to inform her thereof — Received at this time transcripts of epistles from Baltimore Philadelphi New York Ohio & Virginia also one from London which has been read to the edification & comfort of many ~~friends~~ minds. — — — — — — — — M W clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women frinds held at the Western Meeting house 25th of 6th Month 1821 — preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary A Robinson & Alice Knowles — Hopkinton Catharine Collins & Mary W Collins — Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Ruth Sheffield — Western Rebecca Segar & Sarah Hazard — All present. The friends appointed for that purpose have prepard the following minute for Sarah Hoxsie viz This meeting was informed that Sarah Hoxsie has gone to make a visit to her children within the compass of Bridgewater Monthly Meeting & requests our certificate, these are to inform that she is a member & an elder in our society. — The committee to enquire into the clearness of Lois Davis report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with William S Perry & her parents consent being produced she is at liberty to proceed, Dorcas Peckham and Sarah Hazard are appointed to have the oversight of their marriage & report to next meeting. — A removal certificate from East Greenwich Monthly Meeting on behalf of Peter D Healy his wife Elizabeth & their son William Horace was received & accepted at this time. — South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Knowles daughter of John W Knowles has contrary to the advice administered to her at different times transgressed the good order of society by conducting in such a manner as to bring reproach on herself & friends & the subject having been duly considered in this meeting & it appearing necessary for the support of our testimony she is disowned as a member of our society having the concurrence of the mens meeting. — Mary Wilbur & Elizabeth Peckham are appointed clerks for the year ensuing — M W clerk

Denial of Elizabeth Knowles

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 28d of 7th Month 1821 — Accounts from each preparative meeting being received the representatives are for South Kingston Ann Carpenter and Mary Dockray — Hopkinton Susanna Wilbur & Sarah Collins — Richmond Sarah Sheffield & Elizabeth Moyse — Western Dorcas Babcock & Sarah Babcock present except 1 for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered. — The queries were read in this meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th agreed on which we are to forward to the ensuing quarterly Meeting by Mary A Robinson & Sarah Collins whom we appoint representatives

48 The committee to attend the marriage of William S Perry & Lois Davis report that they attended & think it was ordely conducted, part of the overseers met as usual. — Ann Sheffield having returned to reside within the limits of this meeting presented the minute which was granted her in the 2nd Month last for Philadelphia Monthly Meeting in the state of Pennsylvania which is accepted

M W Clerk —

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 27th of 8th Month 1821 — Accounts from the several preparative meetings being present the representatives are for South Kingston Hannah Carpenter & Mary P Hax and — Hopkinton Catharine Collins & Mary Collins Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Ruth Sheffield — Western Lois Perry & Dorcas Babcock — present except one. — One of the representatives to quarterly meeting informed she attended & that the other was prevented by indisposition. — Transcripts of epistles from Philadelphia, New York — Virginia — Ohio — & Baltimore were read at this time to satisfaction. — A Removal certificate from Providence Monthly Meeting on behalf of Aza Arnold junr his wife Abigail D & their children Mary Harriet and William D was received read & accepted by this meeting

M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held 24th of 9th Month 1821 preparative accounts being received the representatives are for South Kingston Ann Browne & Sarah Knowles — Hopkinton Hannah Gardner & Sarah Collins — Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Ruth Sheffield — Western Eunice Foster and Sarah Hazard — All present. — Western preparative Meeting informs that Sarah Green daughter of Jeffery Green deceased requests to be admitted a member of our society

350 Dorcas Peckham & Lucy Anna Knowles are appointed to visit her on that account & report to next meeting.- Extracts from the minutes of our yearly meeting of the present year, with transcripts of epistles from New York & Philadelphia yearly meetings containing much instructive & interesting matter have been read in this meeting - - - - - - - - - - M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 28th of 10th Month 1821 accounts from the several preparative meetings are received & the representatives are from South Kingston Mary Dockray & Mercy P Dockray - Hopkinton Mira Carr & Lydia Wilbur - Richmond Sarah Sheffield & Elizabeth Hoxsie - Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham, three of whom are not present, but the absence of 2 of them was satisfactorily accounted for. - The friends appointed to visit Sarah Green gave so favorable an account of the state of her mind as induce this meeting to receive her into society, it having received the sanction of our brethren. - The queries with answers to those usually attended to at this time were read & agreed on which we forward by Lois Perry & Alice Knowles our representatives to the next quarterly meeting to be held at Somerset - Extracts from the Yearly meetings minutes & epistles from those of Philadelphia & New York have been received & read to much satisfaction - Mary Kinyon, late Nichols, having transgressed the good order of society by marrying a person not a member of our society & by the assistance of a priest notwithstanding she was precautioned against it, we feel under the necessity of disowning her, hoping in the right

Denial of Mary Kinyon formerly Nichols

351 she may feel the propriety of condemning this is left to the satisfaction of this meeting - One of the overseers informs that some of them assembled & considered such business as came before them. Mary A Robinson Clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 11th Month 1821 - Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are for South Kingston Mary D Brown & Sarah Knowles - Hopkinton Catharine Collins & Sarah Congdon - Richmond Ruth Bicknell and Elizabeth Hoxsie - Western Amy Knowles & Lois Perry - All present except 2 who rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence - This meeting is informed that the representatives to quarterly meeting attended to their appointment. - Hopkinton preparative meeting informed that Mary Ann Gardner daughter of Peleg gardner deceased requests to be admitted a member of our society. Sarah Collins & Lydia Wilcox are appointed to take an opportunity with & report to next meeting. - We are informed that Mary Bradley Daughter of Joshua Bradley has for some time past absented herself from the society of friends & joined with a society of Presbyterians, & the overseers having conferred with her on the subject & found that she had no wish to remain a member with us we feel the necessity of disowning her till she may return & wish to be united to us, the men friends concurring therein. The London general Epistle of the present year was acceptably read in this Meeting.

Denial of Mary Bradley

M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 24th of 12th Month 1821 - ~~fr~~ preparative accounts being present the representatives are -

for South Kingston Abigail Arnold & Alice Knowles Hopkinton Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur junr - Richmond Ruth Sheffield & Hannah Knowles - Western Rebecca Segar & Eunice Foster - All present - The friends appointed to visit Mary Ann Gardner have attended to the appointment but are not ready to report.. Transcripts of Epistles from Baltimore - Ohio - Virginia & New Garden yearly Meetings have been read in this meeting to satisfaction & encouragement. - - - - - M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 28th of 1st Month 1822 Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are as follows, for South Kingston Mary P Hazard & Mary Dockray - Hopkinton Hannah Gardner & Abby R Collins - Richmond Ruth Sheffield & Isabel Bicknell - Western Amy Knowles & Susan Knowles - All present. - The committee in the case of Mary Ann Gardner having reported favorably respecting the state of her mind this meeting concludes to grant her request, & the men friends being united in sentiment with us she is admitted a member of our society - The queries were read in this meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th query on which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Amy Knowles & Sarah Knowles our representatives - One of the overseers informed that she met with the men friends at the usual time - - - - - - - M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends held at Richmond 25th of 2nd Month 1822 Accounts being received from Each preparative meeting the representatives are as follows, for South Kingston Mary P Hazard & Mary Anna Knowles - Hopkint

353 Sarah Collins & Ann Congdon - Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Ruth Sheffield - Western Rebeca Segar & Amy Browning - All present. — Representatives to quarterly Meeting attended agreeably to appointment

Denial of Martha Davis

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Martha Davis neglects the attendance of our religious meetings attends those of other societies, & has departed from that plainness which becomes our profession - on being labored with by several of the overseers she manifested she manifested no disposition of making satisfaction but desires to be dismissed from society signifying she does not believe in our principles - after being weightily considered by this meeting it is thought best to disown her the right of membership until she shall return & make satisfaction, having the concurrence of the men's meeting therein - Sarah Collins junr is appointed to inform her of the decision of the meeting. —

Elizabeth Peckham Clk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 25th of 3d Month 1822 Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are as follows for South Kingston Mercy Dockray & Alice R Hazard - Hopkinton Catharine Collins & Mary A Collins - Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Hannah Knowles - Western Sarah Hazard & Eunice Foster - All present. Sarah Collins reported that she had informed Martha Davis of her denial —

M W Clerk —

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends held at Richmond 22nd of 4th Month 1822 - preparative accounts being received the representatives are as follows for South Kingston Mary R Hazard & Mary Dockray

Hopkinton Mary W Collins & Martha Collins - Richmond Ruth Bicknell & Elizabeth Moxsie - Western Dorcas Peckham & Mary Peckham. The queries were read in this meeting & answers prepared which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly Meeting by Sarah Congdon & Mary P Hazard whom we appoint representatives. South Kingston preparative meeting informed that Ann Gavit daughter of Robert Knowles has joined in marriage with one not a member of our society contrary to the good order of friends - Mary P Hazard & Dorcas Peckham are appointed to visit her on that account & report to our next meeting - Overseers met as usual. -

M W Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 25th of 5th Month 1822 Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives are as follows for South Kingston Ann Browne & Alice Knowles - Hopkinton Susan Cole & Lydia Collins - Richmond Ruth Bicknell & Hannah Knowles - Western Eunice Foster and Elizabeth Peckham - All present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered. - Representatives attended quarterly Meeting agreeably to appointment. - The committee appointed to visit Ann Gavit have attended to that service & presented a report to this meeting which is as follows -

Agreeably to appointment we have visited Ann Gavit on account of her going out in marriage with one not a member, & find her in disposition to endeavor to make friends satisfaction. - Also received an acknowledgement from her which this meeting concludes to defer for further consideration

The appointment of overseers coming before this meeting the representatives proposed for South Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles & Hannah Hazard - Hopkinton Lydia Wilbur, Sarah Collins, & Mira Carr - Richmond Ruth Bicknell & Hannah Knowles - Western Amy Knowles & Eunice Foster who are appointed to that station for the year ensuing with the unity of men friends - The appointment of Clerk and assistant coming before this meeting it is refered untill next meeting

Elizabeth Peckham Clk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Westerly 23rd of 6th Mo 1822 Preparative accounts being received the representatives are as follows for South Kingston Lucy Anna Knowles & Mary Carr Hopkinton Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur Junr Richmond Elizabeth Morie and Ruth Sheffield - Western Sarah Green and Amy Knowles - All present except one - Business respecting Ann Gavit is again deferred - This meeting is informed that Ruth Knowles has transgressed the good order of society by conducting in a disorderly order unchaste manner and the overseers having labored with her and she having no disposition to continue a member we think it necessary for the support of our ~~society~~ testimony to deny her the right of membership in which men friends concur - Elizabeth Peckham is appointed clerk for the year ensuing, the appointment of assistant Clerk is refered to next meeting

Mary Wilbur Clerk

At Southkingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Southkingston 22nd of 7th mo 1822. preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Hannah Carpenter and Mary P Hasard, Hopkington Catharine Collins and Mary Collins Richmond Ruth Bignal and Hannah Knowles Western Rebecca Segar and Elizabeth Peckham being called are all present except one who was prevented by indisposition, The appointment of assistant clerk coming before this meeting Mary W Collins is selected for that service for the year ensuing.

The queries were read in this meeting and answers to the 1st 2d an 10th agreed on which we forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Amy Knowles and Hannah Hasard our representatives. The subject respecting Ann Gavit comeing before this meeting is refered until ~~next~~ another month One of the overseers informed they met as usual
Elizabeth Peckham clerk

At So, Kingston Mo, Meeting of Women friends held at So, Kingston 26th of 8th mo 1822 preparative accounts being present representatives for So, Kingston are Ann Brown and Hannah Carpenter Hopkington Lydia Collins and Lydia Wilbur Richmond Rachael Kinyon and Elizabeth Hoxsie Western Sarah Babcock and Elizabeth Watson being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition, one of the friends informed that they attended Quarterly Meeting

This meeting is informed that John D. Williams proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Hannah Brown before this meeting they accordingly appeared and expressed their intentions of takeing each other in marriage Amy Knowles and Mary A Robinson are appointed to inquire into her clearness of marriage engagements and report to next meeting received at this time extracts of our last Yearly meeting minutes which has been read to satisfaction, allso a report of the boarding School committee descriptive of the unity and good order that has hitherto been observed by the whole family at the Institution, the business of Ann Gavits claiming our ~~the~~ attention at this time, is refered E. P. Clerk

At So Kingston Mo, Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkington 23d of 9th mo 1822. preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Lucy Anna Knowles & Hannah Gardner for Hopkington Mira Carr & Anna Wilbur Richmond Ruth Bignell & Hannah Knowles Western Eunice Foster & Amy Knowles who are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered, The friends appointed to make enquiry respecting Hannah Browns clearness of others report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with John D Williams, & certificates of their parents consent haveing been read they are left at liberty to proceed Dorcas Peckham & Mary A Robinson are appointed to attend the accomplishment thereof and report to next meeting —

The business respecting Ann Gavit haveing been revived in this meeting & it being thought best to visit her again Amy Knowles and Sarah Collins are appointed to take an opportunity with her and report at a future meeting, their judgment of her suitableness to be continued a member, Mary Collins Dorcas Peckham

YEARLY MEETING, SIXTH MONTH, 1862.

The Committee on Education presented a Report, which is interesting to this Meeting; and in conformity with the suggestions contained therein, our Monthly Meetings are requested to appoint Committees to render their aid in procuring accurate statistical information, and by other proper means to assist the Committee in the fulfilment of the interesting and important concern of this Meeting, for the increase of the number of First Day schools, and for the promotion of the religious and literary education of our dear youth and children, in conformity with our established order and Christian principles.

From the Minutes of the meeting.

SAMUEL BOYD TOBEY, Clerk.

7 Mary A Robinson and Hannah Knowles are appointed to assist the clerks of the monthly and preparative meetings in inserting in the several books of discipline the paragraph annexed to the last yearly meeting minutes agreeable to the direction of said meeting   Elizabeth Peckham Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 28th of 10th mo 1822. preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Hannah Hasard and Mary P Hasard Hopkinton Mary Collins and thankful Collins Richmond Ruth Sheffield and Elizabeth Hoxsie Western Elizabeth Watson and Dorcas Peckham, present except three 2 of whom rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence. The queries were read in this meeting and answers to the 1st 2d and 10th agreed on and an account prepared to be forwarded to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mary P Hasard and Lucy Anna Knowles our representatives.
~~The~~ the friends appointed to assist the clerks in inserting in the several books of Discipline the paragraph annexed to the last Yearly Meeting minutes, report from 2 meetings, that they have attended to that service The committee appointed to attend Marriage of John D Williams and Hannah Brown, report that according to their opinion it was in a good degree orderly conducted. One of the overseers informed they met as usual and considered such business as came before them

E. P. Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 11th mo 1822. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Alice Knowles and Mary A Robinson for Hopkinton Sarah Congdon & Anna Wilbur Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie and Ruth Sheffield Western Amy Knowles and Sarah Foster which are present One of the representatives informed this meeting that she attended Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment the other was prevented by indisposition Were read at this time the London, Philadelphia & Newyork, North Carolina, Ohio, and Baltimore Epistles containing much excellent counsel and encouragement and we trust has been at this time comforting and acceptable to many minds present The business respecting Ann Gavit comeing before this meeting is refered untill another month   Elizabeth Peckham Clerk

23 of 12th, At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 23d of 12th mo 1822. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Hannah Hasard and Lucy Anna Knowles, for Hopkinton Mary W Collins and Sarah Collins Jun, Richmond Ruth Bignal Hannah Knowles, Western Sarah Green and Rebecca being called are present except 2 one of which sent a satisfactory excuse for her absence. The friends appointed to visit Ann Gavit on account of her going out in marriage with one not a member, report, that they have attended to their appointment, and have had an opportunity with her, and think well of her being admitted to stand a member; this Meeting after weightily considering the subject; think best to pass by her said transgression; and receive her into membership with friends mens meeting concuring therein

Reinstatement of Ann Gavit

This Meeting is informed that Isaac Collins Junr proposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Rachael Kinyon Junr before this meeting; they appeared and expressed their intentions of takeing each other in marriage; this meeting appoints Mary Collins and Sarah Sheffield to enquire into her clearness and report to next meeting

One of the friends appointed to assist the Clerks in inserting the paragraph of discipline, informed that she has attended thereto

E. P. Clerk.

1st 27th At So Kingston Mo. ~~Monthly~~ Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 1st 27th 1823. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Hannah Carpenter and Mary A Robinson for Hopkinton Susan Collins & Mary A Collins Richmond Hannah Knowles and Elizabeth Hoxsie Western Dorcas Peckham and Amy Knowles being called are present, except two which sent satisfactory reasons for their absence. The Quiries were read in this meeting and answers agreed on descriptive of the present state of this meeting and forward them with the account by our representatives Mary A Collins and Mary D Brown. The friends appointed to inquire into Rachael Kinyons Jun Clearness respecting marriage report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Isaac Collins Jun, haveing the consent of their parents they are left at liberty to proceed by adhering to the good order established among friends, Lydia Wilcox and Elizabeth Hoxsie are appointed to attend their said marriage and report to next meeting there being an omission last month in nameing some friend to inform Ann Gavit of her reinstatement among friends, Amy Knowles is appointed to inform her thereof; and if she finds nothing to hinder to prepare a Certificate and present to next Mo. Meeting

This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual at the the time and place

E. P. Clerk

3d mo 24th

At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 3d mo. 24th 1823. Preparative accounts being present representatives for Hopkinton are Mary Collins and Lydia Wilbur Richmond Hannah Knowles & Sarah Knowles. Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham, being called are all present except from one meeting the number being very small there were none present that thought it in their power to attend Friends being prevented in 2nd month attending meeting as usual on account of a severe storm, the references of 1st mo is brought to this meeting

The friends appointed in 1st mo. to attend the marriage of Isaac Collins Jun and Rachael Kinyon Jun report, that according to their observation it was conducted in a good degree orderly.

The friend appointed to prepare a Certificate in favor of Ann Gavit, have presented one, which has been read in this meeting approved and signed by the clerks of both meeting, and directed to record and forward the same; which is as follows

Ann Gavits Certificate

To East Greenwich monthly Meeting

Dear Friends Ann Gavit having removed with her husband within the limits of your Mo. Meeting and being a member of this haveing settled her outward affairs to satisfaction we recommend her to your notice with desires for her advancement in the truth. Signed in by direction of So. Kingston Mo. Meeting held 24th of 3d mo. 1823. by Elizabeth Peckham

One of the representatives attended Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment, the other was prevented by indisposition in her family

E. P. clerk

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 21st [illegible] 1823. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Mary A Robinson and Alice Knowles, for Hopkinton Lydia Wilbur, Sarah Congdon, for Richmo Elizabeth Hoxsie and Ruth Bignal, Western Rebecca Segar and Susan Knowles, being called are all present. The Queries were read in this meeting and answers agreed on descriptive of the present state of society, an account prepared, which we transmit to you by our representatives Alice Knowles and Susan Collins

This meeting is informed that Sarah Hoxsie hath removed to East Greenwich Mo Meeting, and requests our Certificate Hannah Knowles and Dorca Peckham are appointed to make enquiry and if they find nothing to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting ~~This~~ we are informed that part of the overseers met as usual This meeting is informed that Aza Arnold requests a removal Certificate for his wife and family to Providence Mo Meeting, Mary A Robinson and Alice Knowles are appointed to join our men friends, in making enquiry and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting

E.P. Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Western 26th of 5th mo 1823 Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Alice Knowles and Mary A Robinson for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Sarah Congdon Richmond Ruth Bignal and Elizabeth Hoxsie Western Sarah Hasard and Elizabeth Peckham being called are present except one, One of the representatives representatives informed that they attended Quarterly meeting The appointment of overseers claiming the attention of this meeting the representatives have proposed Lydia Wilbur Sarah Collins Ruth Bignal Hannah Knowles Amy Knowles Eunice Foster Lucyanna Knowles Hannah Hasard and Hannah Carpenter to that station which being united with, by this and men friends they are appointed The friends appointed have produced a Certificate in favor of Sarah Hoxsie which has been read and approved, She having a prospect of another removal, it is refered under the care of the same friends The subject respecting Aza Arnold Certificate is refered under the care of the same friends till next meeting

E.P. Clerk

At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Western 23rd of 6th mo 1823 Preparative accounts being present representatives for S. Kingston are Mary Carr and Hannah Williams Hopkinton Sarah Collins and Ruth Kenyon Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun and Elizabeth Hoxsie Western Amy Knowles and Lois Perry being called are all present The time having expired for which the Clerk and assistant were appointed, they are reappointed for the ensuing year

The friends appointed to prepare a Certificate for Asa Arnold wife and family, not being ready to report, it is refered under their care for further consideration — Elizabeth Peckham Clerk

At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held in South Kingston 28th of 7th mo 1823. Preparative accounts being present representatives for S. Kingston are Anne Carpenter and Mary Dockray Hopkinton Deborah Collins and Catharine Collins Richmond Hannah Knowles and Ruth Bignal Western Sarah Greene and Dorcas Peckham being called are present except one, The Queries have been read with the answers from the several preparative meetings from which we have selected the following descriptive of our present state and transmit them to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by our representatives Mary D Brown and Amy Knowles

The subject of Sarah Hoxsie,s Certificate claiming the attention of this meeting Mary A Robinson and Dorcas Peckham are appointed to join our men friends to confer with her on the subject respecting the propriety of her having a removal Certificate

One of the overseers informed that they met as usual

E. P. Clerk

At a Mo. Meeting of Women friends held in South Kingston 25th of 8th mo 1823. Preparative accounts being present representatives for S. Kingston are Mary D Brown and Mercy Dockray for Hopkinton Mary Collins and Susanna Collins Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie and Hannah Knowles Western Amy Knowles and Rebecca Segar, being called are all present

South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Timothy Collins proposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Mary Ann Gardner before this meeting they appeared, and expressed their intention of taking each other in marriage; Mary A Robinson and Mercy Peck are appointed, to inquire into her clearness and report to next meeting

Hopkington preparative meeting informs that Calvin Shove proposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Sarah G. Wilbur before this meeting they appeared and expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage; Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Hoxsie are appointed to inquire into her clearness and report to next meeting

The friends appointed, informed that they attended Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment

The friends appointed to confer with Sarah Hoxsie on the subject of her haveing a Certificate of removal, report that they have had an opportunity with her, and she appears willing it be deferred untill it is ascertained respecting her removal into the State of New York

E. P. Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkington 22nd of 9th mo 1823 preparative accounts being received representatives for So Kingstown are, Alice Knowles and Mary Dockray Hopkington Susanna Coal and Lydia Collins Richmond Hannah Knowles and Elizabeth Hoxsie Western Eunice Foster and Dorcas Peckham, being called are all present

The friends appointed to inquire into Maryann Gardners clearness, report that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding in marriage with Timothy C. Collins, Amy Knowles and Alice Knowles are appointed to attend said marriage and report to next meeting. The friends appointed to inquire into Sarah G Wilburs clearness report that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding in marriage with Calvin Shove; Lydia Wilbur and Mary A Collins are appointed to attend said marriage and report to next meeting

E. Peckham Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkington 27th of 10th mo 1823. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Mary A Robinson & Lucyanna Knowles - Hopkingtown Lydia Collins & Sarah Collins Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Hannah Knowles Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham whose names being called are all present, except 3 for the absence of 2 of them satisfactory reasons were rendered The queries were read in this meeting and ans to the 1st 2nd and 10th agreed on which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarte ly meeting by Lydia Wilbur & Catharine Collins who are appointed representatives

The committee to attend the marriage of Timothy C Collin & Maryann Gardner, report that they attended to that service and think it was orderly conducted. The friends appointed to attend the marriage of Calvin Shove & Sarah G Wilbur made a like report

Our friends Sarah Tucker from Dartmouth & Susan Howland from New bedford attended this meeting with Minutes of concurrence from their respective Mo Meetings whose company and religious services have been acceptabl to us

Overseers met at the usual time

At So Kingston Mo meeting of Women friends held at Hoptingtown 24th of 11th mo 1823 Preparative accounts being present except one representatives for So Kingstown are Lucy Anna Knowles & Mary Dockray Hoptington Susanna Wilbur & Lydia Wilbur ~~Richmond~~ Western Rebecca Segar & Elizabeth Peckham who being called are present except one that was prevented by indisposition

One of the representatives inform,d that they attended Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment

Sally M Bradley having made a request to be dismissed from among friends, which is referred untill next meeting Received Extracts of our last Yearly Meeting Minutes with Transcripts of Epistles from the several Yearly Meetings in America the Extracts with the Epistle from Philadelphia has been read at this time to satisfaction, the others are deferred untill next meeting

E. Peckham Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting held at Richmond 12th mo 22nd 1823. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Sarah Knowles & Mercy Dockray Hoptington Mary W Collins & Susan Collins Richmond Ruth Bignal & Elizabeth Horsie Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham who being called are all present except one which was prevented by indisposition

The subject of Sally M Bradley,s request being revived in this meeting, & she being a minor it is thought best to appoint some friends to visit her parents Sarah Collins & Mary Collins are appointed to take an opportunity with them on her account and that of placeing their

Children from among friends, and report at a future meeting

We are informed from the mens meeting that they propose an an alteration in the holding of our Mo Meeting, this meeting appoints Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Hoxsie Amy Knowles & Mercy Dockray to join ~~the~~ our men friends in makeing the necessary arrangement Read at this time the Baltimore Virginia & New York Epistles we trust to the Edification of many minds

E. Peckham Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 26th of 1st mo 1824. Preparative accounts being present from three meetings representatives for Hopkingtown are Sarah Collins & Phebe Wilbur Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Elizabeth Rathbun Western Rebecca Segar and Lois Perry being called 2 of whom are present The business respecting Sally McBradley is deferr.d for the consideration of another month under the care of the same committee The committee appointed to consider altering the holding of our Mo Meeting, report, they have considered the subject and propose that the Monthly Meeting be held in future as follows, the three winter Months at Richmond three Spring Months at So Kingston three months of Autumn at Hopkingtown— which is deferred for the consideration of a future meeting.

The queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th agreed on which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly Meeting by Mary A Collins & Sarah Collins our representatives This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual Elizabeth Peckham Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 2nd mo 23. 1824. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Mary A Robinson & Hannah B Williams Hopkingtown Catharine Collins & Lydia Wilbur Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Sarah Knowles Western Sarah Hasard & Lois Perry whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition. The subject respecting Sally M Bradley being revived in this meeting, it is referred under the care of the same frien

The committee appointed & presented a report in favor of altering the holding of our Mo. Meetings which is approbated by both meetings and accepted

One of the representatives informed that they attended quarterly meeting

The friends appointed, produced a Certificate whic being read is approved and signed by the Clerks; and directed to record and forward the same

To Providence Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends

Aza Arnold and Abby D Arnold his wife and their Children, Mary, Harriet, and William D, having removed within the verge of your Meeting — requests our Certificate this may ~~inform~~ certify on their behalf that they are members of our society and were while resident with us of orderly lives and conversation and frequent in the attendance of our religious meetings, — having left his outward affairs to satis=faction as far as appears. As such we recommend them to your christian care and oversight; with desires for their preservation and growth in truth

Signed on behalf of South Kingston Mo. Meeting held at Richmond 23d of 2nd mo 1824. by Isaac Wilbur
Elizabeth Peckham Clerks

Aza Arnold Certificate

This Meeting is informed that Isaac Collins Junr and wife are about to remove to Cranston and requests our Certificate to East Greenwich Mo. Meeting, Lydia Wilbur and Elizabeth Hoxsie are appointed to unite with men friends, and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one and present at next meeting

Read at this time the Ohio and Indianna Epistles

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 22d of 3d mo 1824. Preparative accounts being received representatives for S. Kingston are Alice Knowles and Mary D Brown Hopkinton Susan Collins and Lydia Collins Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie and Elizabeth Rathbun Western Rebecca Segar and Amy Knowles whose names being called are all present

The subject of Sally M Bradley is deferr,d untill another month The friends appointed have produced a Certificate in favor of Isaac Collins Jun and wife to East Greenwich Mo Meeting which has been read is approved and signed by the Clerks of both meeting:

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Joseph Green proposes publishing his Marriage with Sarah Collins Jun before this Meeting they accordingly appeared and expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage Allso that John S Kenyon proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Sarah S. Wilbur, they appeared and expressed their intentions of takeing each other in marriage Mary Collins and Lydia Collins are appointed to inquire into their Clearness respecting Marriage and report to next Meeting

Hopkintown Preparative Meeting informes that Sarah G. Shove and Hannah S Wilbur requests Certificates to East Greenwich Mo Meeting Susan Collins and Lydia Wilbur Jun are appointed to make the necssary enquiry and if they find nothing to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting

Sarah Hoxsie haveing removed within the limits of Bridgewater Mo Meeting and it claiming the attention of this Meeting Amy Knowles & Dorcas Peckham are appointed to take the necessary care, and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare a Certificate and present at next meeting

E.P. Clk.

At So Kingstown Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 26th of 4th mo 1824. Preparative Accounts being present representatives for South Kingstown are Ann, Brown and Mary A Robinson Hopkington Sarah Congdon & Mary Collins Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie and Hannah Knowles Western Rebecca Segar & Sarah Hasard whose names being called are present except 2 of whom were ~~present~~ prevented by indisposition

Our beloved friend Priscilla Hunt attended this meeting and Produced a Certificate of Concurrence from Blue River Mo Meeting Endorsed by the Quarterly Meeting in Washington County State of Indianna, which with her Company and religious engagements have been acceptable at this time

This meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met as usual

The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers thereto agreed on descriptive of the present State of this Meeting, and an Account prepa which we forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mercy Dockray & Sarah Congdon whom we appoint representatives

The subject of Sally McBradley is again deferred under the care of the same Committee

The friends appointed to inquire into Sarah Collins Jun. Clearness respecting Marriage, report that no obstruction appea She is at liberty to proceed with Joseph Green, Lydia Wilbur & Lydia Collins are appointed to attend the Marriage and make report to next Meeting

The friends appointed to inquire into Sarah S Wilburs Clearness respecting Marriage report that no obstruction appears Catharin Collins & Mary Collins are appointed to attend said Marriage and make report to next Meeting

The Committee appointed to prepare Certificates for Sarah G Shove & Hannah S Wilbur have produced them which being read are approved and Signed by the Clerks and directed to forward the same

The Committee appointed to prepare a Certificat for Sarah Hoxsie, not being ready to report it is deferred under their care untill another Month

Received at this time a Certificate in favor of Elizabeth Hasard wife of Benjamin from Swanzey Mo. Meeting, which has been read in this and the mens Meeting is accepted and is as follows

To South Kingston Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends

Elizabeth Hasard haveing removed to live with her Husband Benjamin Hazard, within the limits of your Mo. Meeting and requests our Certificate. This may Certify on her behalf that She is a member of our religious Society of an orderly life, and an attender of Meetings when her health would admit, as such we recommend her to your tender care.— Signed in and on behalf of Swanzey Mo. Meeting held at Somerset 3 mo. 29th 1824. by

Joseph Buffinton
Hannah Earle
Clerks

Elizabeth Hasard's Certificate

Hopkingtown Preparative Meeting informs that Ethan Foster proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Mary Wilbur before this Meeting, they accordingly appeared and and expressed their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage Sarah Congdon and Mary Collins are appointed to enquire into her Clearness therein and make report to next Meeting

Elizabeth Peckham Clk.

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Wome Friends held at Western Meeting house 26th of 5th Mo 1824. Preparative Accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Mary D Brown Hannah Hasard Hopkington Lydia Collins and Susanna Collins Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun and Hannah Knowles Western Sarah Green and Dorcas Peckham whose names being called are all present,

one of the friends appointed to attend Quarterly Meeting informed they attended.

The friends appointed have produced a Certificate in favor of Sarah Horsie, which has been read ~~is approved~~ in this and mens Meeting is approved and signed by both Clerks

The friends appointed to enquire into Mary Wilburs clearness respecting Marriage, report that nothing appears to hinder her proceeding in Marriage with Ethan Foster Deborah Collins and Lydia Wilbur are appointed to attend said marriage and report to next Meeting

The Committee appointed to attend the Marriage of Joseph Green and Sarah Collins, report, that according to their observation it was orderly conducted.

The committee appointed to attend the Marriage of John T Kinyon and Sarah R Wilbur report that they attended to their appointment, and think it was orderly conducted

The year haveing expired that the Overseers were appointed the representatives from the several preparative Meetings have proposed for So Kingston Hannah Hasard Mercy Dockray and Mary D Brown for Hopkington Lydia Wilbur Mary Collins and Lydia Collins Richmond Hannah Knowles and Elizabeth Horsie Western Amy Knowles and Eunice Foster and they being united with by this and our Men Friends, they are appointed for the ensuing year

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It is proposed that in future the names for Overseers be selected by the preparative Meetings and sent forward in their Account -

Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Sarah C Green requests our Certificate to Rhode Island Mo Meeting Debora Collins and Lydia Wilbur are appointed to take the necessary care and ~~if nothing~~ prepare one and present to next Meeting

The representatives have proposed Elizabeth Peckham Clark and Mary W Collins assistant, which is deferred untill next meeti

Elizabeth Peckham Cl

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 21st of 6 mo. 1824. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So. Kingston are Hannah Hazard and Alice R Hazard Hopkingt Martha Collins & Mary A Collins Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Hannah Knowles Western Amy Knowles and Ma Peckham whose names being called are all present except one who was prevented by indisposition

The friends appointed to attend the marriage of Ethan Foster and Mary Wilbur report; that they attended to their appointment, and think it was conducted in an orderly manner

The friends appointed to prepare a Certifica for Sarah C Green have produced one which has been read is approved by both Meetings ~~and~~ signed and is as follows, the Clerk is directed to forward the same

Sarah Green's Certificate

To Rhode Island Monthly Meeting

Dear Friends

Sarah C Green wife of Joseph Green having removed to live with her husband within the compass of your meeting requests our Certificate. This may certify on her behalf that she is a member of this Meeting ~~and it appears that her temporal concerns are left to satisfaction~~ an Elder in esteem, her life and conversation corresponding therewith, and it appears that her temporal concerns are left to satisfaction we recommend her to your ~~notice~~ care and regard.

Signed on behalf and by direction of So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Friends held 21st of 6th mo. 1824.

by Elizabeth Peckham
Isaac Wilbur
Clks

The time having expired for which the Clerk and assistant were appointed; Elizabeth Peckham is reappointed for the ensuing year, the appointment of assistant is deferred untill another month

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held in So. Kingston 26th of 7th mo. 1824. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So. Kingston are Hannah Carpenter and Ann Brown Hopkington Sarah Congdon and Mary A Collins Richmond Elizabeth Horsie and Sarah Knowles Western Sarah Hasard & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except 2, 1 of them rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. The queries were read in this Meeting with answers from the several preparative meetings from which we have selected the following descriptive of our present state and an account prepared which we forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mary P Hasard & Sarah Congdon whom we appoint representatives. The appointment of an assistant Clerk coming before this Meeting Mary W Collins is named for that service the ensuing year This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met & considered such busineſs as came before them. The committee appointed to enquire into the circumstance of Sally N. Bradley,s absenting herself from among friends report, that she has joined the Presbyterian Church: which being considered here, this Meeting disowns her the right of membership untill she shall return and make satisfaction for said transgression having the concurrence of mens Meeting therein.

Disownment of S. N. Bradley

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 23d of 8th mo. 1824. Preparative accounts being received representatives for So. Kingston are Mary Dockray & Lucy Anna Knowles Hopkington Catharine Collins & Susan C Wilbur Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Catharine Knowles Western Sarah Green & Rebecca Segar whose names being called are all present except 1 who was prevented by indisposition. There being an omission last month in nameing some friend to inform Sally N Bradley of her disownment Lydia Collins is appointed to inform her thereof

This Meeting is informed that our representatives attended Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 9th mo 1824. Preparative accounts being present representatives for So Kingston are Mercy Dockray & Sarah Knowles Hopkinton Lydia Collins & Susan Collins Richmond Elizabeth Hoxsie & Elizabeth Rathbun Western Sarah Foster & Dorcas Peckham whose names being called. The friend appointed to inform Sally M Bradley of her disownment, inform,d that she had attended to her appointment. Received ~~at~~ the Philadelphia Virginia & New York Epistles, which have been read at this time to the comfort ~~ing~~ and encouragement of many minds

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held in Hopkinston 25th of 10th mo 1824 Preparative accounts being received representatives for So Kingston are Mary P. Hasard & Mary Dockray for Hopkington Ruth Kinyon and Susanna Cole for for Richmond Hannah Knowles ~~[illegible]~~ & Elizabeth Hoxsie Western Amy Knowles & Mary Peckham whose names being called are present. The Queries were read in this Meeting & answers selected descriptive of the present state of society, which we forward with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Amy Knowles Lydia Collins and Dorcas Peckham, whom we appoint representatives. This Meeting is inform,d that part of the overseers met as usual

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held in Hopkington 22d of 11th mo 1824. Accounts being received from each preparative Meeting the representatives are from So Kingston are Mary Nichols & Mary D Brown Hopkington Bathsheba Kinyon & Susanna Wilbur Richmond Martha Kinyon & — Elizabeth Rathbone Western Susanna Knowles & Amy Knowles who being called are present except 3. One of the friends appointed to attend Quarterly Meeting inform,d they all attended

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 27th of 12th mo 1824. Preparative accounts being present representatives are for So Kingston Ann Brown & Mercy Dockray Hopkington Susanna Collins & Mary Collins Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Hannah Knowles Western Sarah Foster & Amy Knowles whose names being called are all present

Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Mary Davis has deviated from the rules of our society in dress and addressaten

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in absenting herself from our religious Meetings and attending others, she being previously labored with by the overseers to no good effect, it is thought best to deny her ~~the~~ the right of membership with us, haveing the unity of mens Meeting therein.

Hannah M Babcock's certificate

Received a Certificate of removal from Smithfield Mo Meeting in favor of Hannah M. Babcock which is accepted and is as follows.

To the Mo Meeting of Women Friends at So — Kingston

Dear Friends.

Our friend Hannah M Babcock having removed to live within the limits of your Mo Meeting requests our certificate. This may Certify on her behalf that she is a member of our society — in a good degree of an orderly life a diligent attender of Meetings — clear of Marriage engagements — and ~~of~~ ~~as~~ has settled her outward affairs to satisfaction. —

We recommend her to your Christian Care.

Signed in & by direction of Smithfield Monthly Meeting held 8th mo 26th 1824

Ann L. Buffum Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 24th of 1st mo 1825. Preparative accounts being present representatives are for South Kingstown Alice Knowles & Mary A Robinson Hopkington Catharine Collins & Mary W. Collins Richmond Sarah Rathbun & Hannah Knowles Western Susanna Knowles & Rebecca Segar whose names being called are present except one which rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence.

The Queries were read in this Meeting & answers agreed on which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mercy Dockray & Mary Nichols our representatives. The appointment of some friend to inform Mary Davis of her disownment being omitted last mo Mary A Collins is appointed to inform her thereof.

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 21st of 2 mo 1825. Accounts being received from each preparative Meeting the representatives therein named are for So Kingston Hannah Hazard & Mary Hazard Hopkington Lydia Collins

& Sarah Congdon for — Richmond Elizabeth Rathbun & Eliza Hoxsie Western Amy Knowles & Sarah Foster whose names being calle are present except 4, 2 of whom rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence. The friend appointed to inform Mary Davis of her Denial has not yet attended to that appointment it is continued under their care. This Meeting is informed, one of the represent atives attended Quarterly Meeting.

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends hel at Western 25th of 3d mo 1825. Accounts being present from each preparative Meeting the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary Ann Collins Susanna Cole Lydia Collins Elizab Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster and Rebecca Segar whos names being called are present except 2, 1 of whom rendered satisfac tory reason for her absence.

Received at this transcripts of Epistles from Baltimore, Ohio, North-Carolina; & Indianna Yearly Meetin which have been read to our edification & encouragement.

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Western 25th of 4th mo 1325. Accounts being received from our severa Preparative meetings the representatives therein named are Mary Nichols Mercy Dockray Catharine Collins Lydia Wilbur Hannah Mc Babcock Amy Knowles Elizabeth Rathbun and Hannah — Knowles who being called are present except — who rendered a reason able excuse for her absence. Received answers to the Queries from each preparative Meeting from which the following have been rea ed with an account prepared which we are to forward by Hannah Hasard & Deborah Collins whom we appoint representatives to attend the ensuing Quarterly Meeting.

Received a Certificate of removal from East Greenwich Mo Meeting held at East Greenwich, in favor of Abigail Slocum minor which being read in this and mens meeting is accepted and is as follows.

To So Kingston Mo Meeting

Dear Friends

Abigail Slocum a minor haveing for some time past resided within the limits of your meeting; and application now being made to this meeting for a Certificate for her, these are to certify on her behalf that she is a member of this meeting; as such we recom mend her to your Christian Care. Given forth at E. Greenwich mon m in East Greenwich 2d of 12th mo 1825 by William Reynolds Clerk for those Maria T. Hudson [illegible]

Abigail Slocum's Certificate

This Meeting is informed that the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them

Mercy Dockray clerk for the day

At So. Kingston Meeting of Women friends held at Westerly 23 of 5th mo. 1825. Accounts from each preparative meeting being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary L. Brown Lydia Wilbur Mary A Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Rebecca Segar & Hannah Watson whose names being called are all present. The friends appointed to attend Quarterly Meeting, report that they attended agreeable to appointment. So. Kingston and Westerly preparative meetings have proposed Mercy Dockray Mary D. Brown Hannah Hasard Amy Knowles and Eunice Foster as overseers, which being considered by this and the mens Meeting is united with and they are accordingly appointed for the year ensuing.

Our Esteemed friend Alice Rathbun attended this Meeting with a minute of Concurrence from Smithfield Mo. Meeting whose company and religious labors have been acceptable to us. The select Meeting have proposed the appointment of Hannah Knowles to the station of an elder; which claiming the solid consideration of friends is united with ~~by~~ this Meeting and referred to men friends

Mary W Collins Clerk for the day

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held 27th of 6th mo. 1825. Accounts being received from our several preparative Meetings the representatives therein named are ~~Hannah~~ Ann Brown Ruth Hannah Hasard Lydia Collins Thankful Collins Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Hoxsie Eunice Foster and Mary Peckham whose names being called are all present

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur Richmond Sarah Sheffield & Elizabeth Rathbun overseers and this meeting uniting therewith they are accordingly appointed for the ensuing year men friends concurring therein

Received a Certificate of removal from Nantucket Mo. Meeting in favor of Sarah Hasard wife of James; and her three Children which being read in this is accepted and is as follows

To So. Kingston Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends Sarah Hasard having removed with her

Sarah Hasard certificate

three Children Viz James B. Avis Macy and Mary Robinson to reside within the limits of your Meeting and request being made for our certificate; We hereby Certify that they are members of our society and she of orderly life and conversation as far as appears we therefore recommend them to your care and attention and remain your friends

Signed in & by direction of Nantucket Mo. Meeting held 4th mo 28th 1825.

William Mitchell
Mary Stubbs

Our men friends informed this Meeting that they unite with us in the appointment of Hannah Knowles to the station of an elder. The time haveing expired for which the clerk was appointed, Mary A Robinson and Ann Brown, are appointed to select one for that purpose and present to next meeting

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held 25th of 7th mo 1825. Accounts being received from the several preparative Meetings the representatives therein nam,d are Mary P. Hasard Hannah Carpenter Mary A Collins Mary W. Collins Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Hoxsie Lois Perry and Sarah Babcock who being called are all present

Received answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th Queries from the several preparative Meetings which have been read in this, from which we have selected the following descriptive of the present state of this Meeting; and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mercy Dockray Amy Knowles and Mary P. Hasard our representatives This meeting is inform,d that part of the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them. The friends appointed have proposed 2 friends for Clark and assistant and they not being willing to accept the appointment at this time; it is deferr,d under the care of the committee ~~care~~ another month with the addition of Mary A Collins thereto E. P. Clark

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held 22nd of 8th mo 1825. Preparative accounts being received representatives for So Kingston are Mary D Brown Lucy Anna Knowles Sarah Congdon Lydia Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie Sarah Knowles Amy Knowles and Mary Peckham whose names being called are all present. Representatives to attend Quarterly Meeting, inform,d they attended agreeable to appointment except one who was prevented by sickness in her family. The committee respecting a Clark and assistant not being ready to report; it is deferred untill next meeting. Received a report of the Boarding School Committee of 6th mo last for the past year and read at this time

The committee appointed to examine and Grant Certificates of recommendation to Children designed for the Boarding School at Providence; having expired, and our Meeting being small at this time it is thought best that the appointment of another be deferr,d untill another month - - - E. P. Clk.

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 9th mo 1825. Accounts being present from the several preparative Meetings representatives therein nam,d are Hannah Hasard Mercy Dockray Lydia Wilbur Cathrine Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster and Amy Knowles who being called were except one that was prevented by indisposition
The friends appointed to examine and grant certificates of recommendation to children that are design,d to attend Providence B. School having expired before last meeting; and being revived in this we appoint Mary Collins Lydia Wilbur Amy Knowles Hannah Knowles and Hannah Hasard to that service the ensuing year

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Joshua Gardner Junr proposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Elizabeth Wilbur before this meeting; they appeared and expressed their intentions of takeing each other in marriage, we appoint Lydia Wilbur and Susanna Coal to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage engagements and make report to next meeting. We are informed that Mary Collins Junr requests a removal certificate to Hudson Mo. Meeting, and having been absent sometime and on enquiry nothing appearing to prevent, it is thought best one be granted her by this Meeting without the appointment of a Committee; there being one present, has been read is approved by both meetings the clerk is directed to forward the same. Allso that Peter D Healy requests a removal certificate to East Greenwich Mo. Meeting Lydia Wilbur Junr, Catharine Collins & Lydia Collins are appointed to join ~~the~~ our mens friends therein and make report to next meeting

Received a removal Certificate from Nantucket Mo. Meeting in favor of Isaiah Ray wife and family which has been read is accepted and is as follows

To So. Kingston Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends
Isaiah Ray having removed with his family within the limits of your Meeting, requested ~~an~~ Certificate for himself, Phebe his wife, and their children Isaiah Coffin Mary Phebe, & Elizabeth Barnard; They being members of our meeting, and settled their outward affairs to satisfac-

Isaiah Ray's Certificate

-tion as far as appears, we recommend them to your Christian care and oversight; and remain your friends

Signed on behalf of Nantucket Monthly Meeting held 8th mo 25th 1825. - - . by William Mitchell
Mary Stubbs. Clerks

Lydia F Collins certificate

Allso one from East Greenwich Mo Meeting in favor of L. F. Collins, which has been read is accepted and is as follows

To So Kingston Mo Meeting

Dear Friends,

Lydia F. Collins sometime paſt removed to live within the limits of your meeting, and has of late requested our Certificate these are therefore to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our religious society of orderly life and conversation; and a pretty diligent attender of Meetings, and on enquiry nothing appears but that her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction, and ſhe being clear of marriage engagements, we recommend her to your christian care, desireing her growth in the truth

Signed on behalf of E Greenwich Mo Meeting held at Cranston 1st of 11th mo 1825. By Sarah Sarle Clerk

E. Peckham Clk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 8th mo 1825. Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being received representatives therein nam'd are Ann Brown Mary A Robinson Mary Foster Susanna Coal Sarah Sheffield Sarah Knowles Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are all present. Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Thomas Wilbur proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Ann Congdon before this Meeting, they accordingly appeared and expreſſed their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage Mary Collins & Lydia Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearneſſ reſpecting Marriage engagements and make report to next Meeting, The committee in caſe of Clerk and assistant after reconsidering the subject continue to propose the same, and it being revived in this Meeting they are accordingly appointed to that service The committee appointed to enquire into into Elizabeth Wilburs clearneſſ respecting Marriage report that nothing appears to obstruct her proceed-

Peter D. Healy's Certificate

-ing with Joſhua Gardner Junr Susanna Coal & Mary A. Collins are appointed to attend said marriage and make report to next Meeting The Queries were read in this Meeting and answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our several Preparative Meetings from which we have selected those descriptive of the present State of this Meeting and transmit them to the ensuing Quarter by our representatives, Catharine Collins & Mary A. Collins. The friends appointed to prepare a Certificate for Peter D. Healy, wife and Children William, Horris, Rowland Green & Eliza Mary Healy; have produced one which has been read in both Meetings is approved and signed by both, and directed to be forwarded to E. Greenwich Mo. Meeting. We are informed there was no meeting of overseers as usual, on account of indisposition and stormy weather

E. P. Clerk

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkington 11th mo 21st 1825. Preparative accounts being present representatives therein nam,d are Mary P. Hasard Alice Knowles Lydia Collins Lydia Wilbur Amy Knowles Sarah Foster Elizabeth Kenyon and Hannah Knowles being called are present except two one of which rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. Our friend Susannah R. Smith attended this Meeting with a ~~minute~~ of Certificate from Burlington Mo. Meeting New Jersey held the 1st day of 8th mo 1825. whose company and religious labors have been acceptable allso Susannah Newbold from Upper Springfield N. Jersey held 5th of 10th mo 1825. whoſe company has been acceptable

The committee appointed to enquire into Ann Congdons clearneſs respecting marriage engagements report that they find nothing to obstruct her proceeding in Marriage with Thomas Wilbur. Susannah Cole & Catharine Collins are appointed to attend said marriage and report to next meeting. The committee appointed to attend Joſhua Gardners Jun marriage report that it was orderly conducted. One of the representatives appointed to attend Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment the other rendered a reasonable excuse for her absence E. P. Clerk

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 26th of 12th mo 1825. Accounts from the several Preparative Meetings being present representatives from So. Kingston are are Mary P. Hasard Lucy Anna Knowles Lydia Wilbur Susan Collins Hannah Knowles Sarah Knowles Hannah M. Babcock and Eunice Foster, whose names being called are all present The committee appointed to attend the Marriage of Thomas Wilbur & Ann Congdon report; that it was pretty orderly conducted

To Smithfield Mo. Meeting Our Esteemed friend Alice Rathbun attende
this Meeting in 5th mo last with a minute of concurrence from yours als
all the meetings constituting this, and several from among friends; whose
company and religious engagements in gospel love hath been to good sati
-faction. The clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minu
E. P. Clk.

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at
Richmond 23d of 1st mo 1826. Accounts being present from the sever
-al Preparative Meetings the representatives are Ann Brown Mercy
Dockray Mary Foster Lydia Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie Martha Kinyo
Dorcas Babcock & Amy Knowles whose names being called are all pres-
ent except one who was prevented by indisposition. The Queries were
read in this Meeting and answers from the several Preparative
Meetings from which we have selected the following descriptive of
the present state of this Meeting, and transmit them to the ensuing
Quarter by Mary P. Hasard and Alice Knowles our representatives

So. Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Lucy Anna
Knowles requests a removal Certificate for herself and Daughters
Alice & Sarah to Bridge Water Mo. Meeting St. N. York; We appoint
Mary P. Hasard and Mercy Dockray to make enquiry, and if no-
thing appears to obstruct to prepare one or separate ones as is thought
best by the committee, and present to next Meeting. Hopkington
preparative Meeting informs that Martha Healy requests a removal
Certificate to East greenwich Mo. Meeting, we appoint Lydia Collins
and Mary W. Collins to make enquiry and if nothing appears to obst-
-ruct to prepare one and present to next Meeting.

Richmond Preparative Meeting informs that Isabel Bicknell
daughter of Jafeth Bicknell has gone to live within the Verge of E. Greenwich
Mo. Meeting; We appoint Hannah Knowles & Elizabeth Hoxsie to make
enquiry respecting said removal, and if they find no probabilit. of
her return to prepare a Certificate for her and present to next Meeting

we are inform'd that part of the Overseers met as usual &
considered such business as came before them. E. P. Clk.

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at
Richmond 2nd mo 19th 1826. Accounts from our several Preparative
Meetings being present the representatives therein nam'd are Hannah Hasard
Sarah Knowles Catharine Collins Lydia Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie
Hannah Knowles Amy Browning and Eunce Foster whose names being
called are present except one. This Meeting is informed that the
friends appointed attended Quarterly Meeting

The friends appointed have produced a Certificate for Lucy Anna -

Lucyanna Knowles and Daughters Certificate

-Knowles and Daughters, which has been read in both Meeting is is approved and Signed by the Clerks and directed to forward the same

Isabel Bicknell
Certificate

The committee appointed have produced a Certificate for Isabel Bicknell to E. Greenwich Mo. Meeting, which has been read in both Meetings is approved and signed by the Clerks and directed to be forwarded. The friends appointed have produced a Certificate for Martha Healy to E. Greenwich Mo. Meeting it also has been read is approved by both Meetings and signed by the Clerks, Catharine Collins is appointed to forward them and make report to next meeting. Read at this time ~~the~~ N. York Philadelphia Baltimore Ohio Idianna and Virginia Epistles cotaining excellent counsel and encouragement that has been salutary to many minds.

Martha Healy
Certificate

E Peckham Clerk

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at western 3d mo. 27th 1826. Accounts from our several preparative Meetings being present representatives therein nam'd are Mary D Brown Hannah Hasard Susan Collins Phebe Wilbur Hannah Knowles Amy Knowles & Sarah Babcock whose names being called are all present

Catharine Collins inform'd this Meeting that she had attended to her appointment in forwarding those Certificates

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Western Meeting house 24th of 4th mo. 1826 Preparative accounts being received representatives therein nam'd are, Mary A Robinson Mary P Hasard Lydia Collins Susan Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Lois Perry & Dorcas Babcock whose names being called are present except one

The Queries with the answers from our several preparative Meetings were read in this, from which those have been selected, descriptive of the present state of this Meeting; and are to forward them to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Eunice Foster & Mary A Robinson our representatives S. Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Hannah Robinson a Woman of color has removed to Rhode Island Mo. Meet,g without a Certificate Ann Brown Senr and Mary P Hasard are appointed to enquire into said removal and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next Meeting

Western preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Browning daughter of Christopher requests to be taken under the care of friends Lydia Wilbur and Eunice Foster are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her and make report to next meeting. ~~This~~ We are also informed that Ann Wilbur wife of Thomas requests a Certificate of removal to Swanzey Mo. Meeting we appoint Susan Collins & Lydia Collins to make enquiry and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next Meeting. We are inform,d part of the overseers met as usual

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Western, 5th mo. 25th 1826 Accounts from our several preparative Meetings being received representatives therein nam,d are Hannah Hasard Hannah Carpenter Susanna Wilbur Catharine Collins Sarah Kenyon Sarah Knowles Eunice Foster and Rebecca Segar whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition. The committee appointed to enquire into Hannah Robinson,s removal to RhodeIsleand Mo. Meeting report that they have attended there to, and it appears that her residence there is uncertain, and that she requested a copy of a minute from this Meeting which is as follows

To RhodeIsleand Mo. Meeting

The friends appointed produced a Certificate for A. Wilbur which is approved by both Meetings and is recorded on 6th page in the latter end of this book on account of an omission

Dear Friends

Hannah Robinson a woman of Color haveing resided some time past within the ~~[illegible]~~ verge of your Meeting has of late requested a few lines by way of Certificate, these are therefore to Certify on her behalf that she is a member of this Meeting, we recommend her to your care and oversight the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute

The representatives from the several preparative Meetings have proposed Mercy Dockray Hannah Hasard Mary D Brown Hannah Knowles Sarah Sheffield Mary Collins Lydia Collins Lydia Wilbur Amy Knowles and Eunice Fosters, overseers for the ensuing year which being considered by this and mens Meeting they are united with and accordingly appointed. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform,d they attended

Received and read the London printed Epistle containing much excellent counsel and incouragement, which has been salutary to many minds

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 26th of 6th mo 1826. Accounts from our several preparative Meetings being present representatives therein nam,d are Ruth H Hasard Hannah Carpenter Mary Collins Sarah Congdon Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Amy Browning and Lois Perry, whose names being called are all present. The friends appointed to visit Elizabeth Browning on her request to be admitted into membership with friends, report, that they have had a solid opportunity with her, and find she agrees with us in principle and think her in a favorable situation of mind to be received into membership with us after due consideration of the subject conclude to receive her our men friends concurring therein, Amy Knowles is appointed to inform her thereof. Our beloved friend Anna Braithwaite attended this Meeting with a certificate of concurrence from Kendal Mo Meeting held 29th of 3d mo 1825 indorsed by the Quarterly Meeting of Westmoreland held at Kendal 1st of 4th mo of the same year; also by the Yearly Meeting of Ministers and Elders held in London by adjournments from the 16th 17th 18th and 27th of the 5th mo 1825. expressive of their Unity & Sympathy with her in said prospect; whose company & religious services have been very acceptable to us at this time

So Kingston preparative Meeting have presented the following ~~informs~~ complaint that Elizabeth Hasard, wife of Benjamin has left her home contrary to the wishes of her husband and family and otherwise behaved in an improper manner which claiming the attention of this Meeting it is deferred for further consideration

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held 24th of 7th mo 1826. Accounts from our several preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mary Dockray Mary P. Hasard Mary Foster Lydia Wilbur Junr Elizabeth Hoxsie Sarah S Kinyon Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham whose names called are all present except one who was prevented by indisposition Amy Knowles informed that she has attended to the appointment of last month. The subject of Elizabeth Hasard being revived in this Meeting we appoint Mary P. Hasard Mary A. Collins Lydia Wilbur & Amy Knowles to visit her and look into the misconduct that has caused the separation between her and her husband and the subsisting difficulties, and report their sense of the business at a future Meeting

The queries were read in this Meeting succeeded by answers from the several preparative Meetings, from which those have been selected most appropriate to ~~the~~ our present state, and are to forward them to the ensuing Quarter by our representatives Amy Knowles & Mary A Collins We are informed that Hannah Healy has removed to live within the Verge of E. Greenwich Mo Meeting without a certificate, Susan Collins & Mary Foster are appointed to take the necessary care and produce a certificate if no obstruction appears. We are informed that part of the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them.

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held 28th of 8th mo 1826. Accounts being received from the several preparative Meetings the representatives therein nam,d are Ann Brown Mary Carr Mary A Collins Sarah Congdon Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster &

Elizabeth Watson whose names being called are all present. One of the committee appointed to visit Elizabeth Hasard, inform'd they had attended to their appointment and are not ready to make a full report. one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informed that they attended. The committee appointed have produced a Certificate which has been read approved by both Meetings signed and is as follows the clerk is directed to record and forward the same.

To E. Greenwich Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends.

Hannah Healy having removed within the verge of your Mo. Meeting without a Certificate these are to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our society and clear of Marriage engagements her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction as far as appears, as such we recommend her to your care & oversight. Signed in and by direction of S. Kingston Mo. Meeting held 28th of mo 1826 by

Timothy C Collins
Elizabeth Peckham, Clerks

This Meeting is inform'd that Thomas Williams and Anna Brown propose publiſhing their intentions of marriage before this Meeting; they accordingly appeared and expreſſed their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage we appoint Amy Knowles & Mary R Hasard to enquire into her clearneſſ respecting marriage engagements and make report to the adjournment. Received and read at this time the report of the Boarding school committee to satisfaction. Men friends have proposed the alteration of holding the granted Meeting at Hopkington School house from 5th day to 4th day of the same week, which being considered by this we unite with them therein. This Meeting adjourns to meet at the same place 2 weeks from this time. Met by adjournment 11th of 9th mo 1826 part of the representatives present that first attended, the committee appointed to enquire into Ann Browns clearneſſ respecting marriage report that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding in marriage with Thomas Williams Mary A Robinson and Mercy Dockray are appointed to attend said Marriage & make report to next meeting

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 21th of 9th mo 1826 Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein nam'd are Mary A Robinson Mary D Brown Lydia Wilbur Jun Susan Collins Sarah Foster Amy Browning Sarah Whitfield and Sarah Kenyon names being called are all present except one whom we are informed was prevented by indisposition. The committee in case of Elizabeth Hasard not being ready to report it is deferred under their care

The committee to attend the Marriage of Thomas William & Anna Brown report, that they attended to their appointment and are of opinion that it was orderly conducted. Hopkington preparative Meeting informs that Jonathan N. Hasard and Mary Congdon propose publiſhing their intentions of Marriage before this Meeting; they accordingly appeared and expreſſed their intentions of takeing each other in marriage Mary A Collins & Susan Coal are appointed to enquire into her clearneſs of marriage engagements and report to next Meeting. We have received a communication from Rhode Ifleand Mo. Meeting Stateing their unwillingneſs to receive a copy of a minute from this in favor of Hannah Robinson, they are also of the opinion that it would be best, for her to return and that this Meeting should extend a guarded care over her as is needful on the account; this Meeting after considering the subject request the overseers to take charge thereof and report to next Meeting (the communication from R Island Mo. meeting is recorded in the latter end of this book

Copy of a minute received for Hannah Robinson

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkingston 23d of 10th mo 1826. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mercy Lockway Mary A. Robinson Phebe Wilbur Sarah Knowles Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster and Amy Knowles who being called are present except three one of which sent a reasonable excuse for her absence The Queries were read in this Meetings succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from which we have selected those comprising the present state of society, and transmit to the ensuing Quarter by Mary A Collins & Lydia Wilbur junr whom we appoint representatives. The buſineſs respecting Elizabeth Hasard is again deferred

The committee appointed to enquire into Mary Congdon,s clearneſs reſpecting Marriage report that they find nothing to prevent her proceding in marriage with Jonathan N Hasard they having produced consent of parents. Mary A Collins & Mary Foster are appointed to attend the consummation of the same and report to next meeting

The Matter respecting Hannah Robinson is continued under the care of the overseers

This Meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came before them. Catharine Kinyon having removed within the limits of Providence Mo. Meeting Lydia Wilbur & Mary Foster are appointed to make the necessary enquiry and if they find nothing to obstruct to prepare one and present to next Meeting

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at hopkinton 24th of 11 mo. 1826. Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mercy Lockraw Mary P. Hasard Mary A Collins Catharine Collins Mary Knowles Elizabeth Browning & Sarah Foster who being called are present except one. The friends appointed to attend Q. Meeting inform they attended. The committee in case of Elizabeth Hasard not being ready to report that subject is again deferr,d. The business respecting Hannah Robinson is still continued under the care of the overseers. The committee appointed to make enquiry respecting Catharine Kinyon,s Certificate, ~~report~~ have produced one which has been read is approved by both Meetings the Clerks is directed to sign record and forward the same which is as follows.

Certificate

To Providence Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends

Catharine Kinyon daughter of Solomon having removed sometime since to Providence, we hereby certify that she is a member of our society; and it appears by enquiry that her temporal concerns are left satisfactorily and that she is clear of marriage engagements with us as such we recommend her to your care and attention

Signed on behalf of said Meeting held 24 of 11th mo 1826.

by Timothy C Collins
Clerks
Mary W. Collins clerk for the day

also a communication which is recorded in the latter end of book

The friends appointed to attend the marriage of Jonathan C Hasard & Mary Congdon report that it was orderly conducted

Greenwich Mo. Meeting having return,d a Certificate in favor of Martha Kealy on account of its not being a satisfactory one this Meeting after considering the subject appoint Lydia Collins Lydia Wilbur & Mary A Collins to make such alterations in said Certificate as they may think proper and present to next Meeting

M. W. C.

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 25th of 12th mo 1826. Preparative accounts being received the representatives therein nam,d are Mercy Lockraw Mary D. Brown Abigail R Collins Mary Foster Eunice Foster Lois Perry Sarah Sheffield and Sarah Kinyon whose names being called are present except one

The committee in case of Elizabeth Hasard not being ready to

it is deferred under their care
The case of Hannah Robinson is continued under the care of the overseers

The matter respecting Martha Healys Certificate coming before this Meeting its thought best to defer it for further consideration

At S^o Kingston M^o Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 22^nd of 1^st mo 1824. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Ann Brown Mary A. Robinso Susan Collins Mary A. Collins Elizabeth Watson Eunice Foster Hannah Knowles & Sarah Sheffield being called are present except one who sent a reasonable excuse for her absence

The Queries were read in this Meeting succeeded by answers to the 1^st 2^nd & 10^th from which we have selected the following as descriptive of our present state & forward them with this account by our friends Amy Knowles and Mary A Collins whom we appoint as representatives to attend the ensuing Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence. S^o Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Anna* (formerly called Nancy)* William wife of Thomas regests a removal Certificate to Troy M^o Meeting in the State of New York. Mary Dockray and Mary P. Hasard are appointed to make enquiry and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next Meeting.

Hopkington Preparative informs that Deborah Bradley daughter of Joshua Bradley has join,d the Presbyterian Meeting Mary A Collins and Lydia Wilbur are appointed to confer with her upon the subject and report to next Meeting

The case of Elizabeth Hasard is deferr,d under the care of the same committe.

The subject of Martha Healy,s certificate being considered in this Meeting it is thought best it be deferr,d for further consideration

Mercy Dockray clerk for the

At S^o Kingston M^o Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 20^th of 2^nd mo 1824 The accounts from our several Preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein named are Mary P. Hasard Mary Dockray Lydia Collins Elizabeth Foster Elizabeth Hoxsie Sarah Sheffield Amy Knowles & Ruth Foster whose names being called are present except one who rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence.

The friends appointed to attend Quarterly Meeting informed they attended.

The friends appointed to prepare a certificate for Anna Williams have produced one which not being approved they are requested to make some alterations therein and produce it at future Meeting.

The friends appointed to confer with Deborah Bradley not having attended thereto it is deferred under their care.

The case of Elizabeth Hasard is continued under the care of the same committee.

The subject of Martha Healys Certificate being revived ~~at~~ this time it is deferred for further consideration

Hannah Healys Certificate returned to this Meeting* on accoun of her altering her name to Julia Ann without friends knowledge thereof it ~~this~~ claiming the attention of this, ~~and~~ Meeting it is thoug best to defer it for further consideration

*with a communication which is omitted here and recorded in the latter end of this Book

Mary W. Collins Clerk for the day

At S^o Kingston M^o Meeting of Women Friends held 26^th of 3^d m^o 1827. Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein named are Mary A. Robinson Mary D. Brown Rebecca Segar Elizabeth Peckham Catharine Collins Lydia Wilbu Elizabeth Horsie and Sarah Knowles whose names being called are present except one

The friends appointed in the case of Deborah Bradley not having attended thereto it is deferred untill next Meeting

The committee appointed to treat with Elizabeth Hasard not being ready to report it is deferred under their care to a future ~~to a~~ Meeting.

The subject of Martha Healys Certificate being revived in this Meeting we appoint Amy Knowles Dorcas Peckham Mary P. Hasard and Mary A. Collins, to make enquiry and confer with ~~some~~ friends of that Meeting; on account of her and her daughter Hannah Healy Certificate being returned

The committe appointed have produced a certificate for Anna Williams which being read is approved by both Meetings and is as follows, the clerk is directed to record and forward the same

Anna Williams Certificate to Troy Meeting

To the Monthly Meeting of Friends at Troy in the State of New York.

Dear Friends. Anna Williams wife of Thomas Williams having removed to live with her husband within the limits of your Meeting, requests our Certificate, these are to certify that she is a member of this Meeting and in a good degree of an orderly life and conversation, a frequent attender of our religious Meetings, and as far as appears her Temporal Concerns are settled to satisfaction— we recommend her to your care and attention with desires for her preservation and advancement in the Truth.—

Signed on behalf of South Kingstown Monthly Meeting held 5 month 26th 1827—

by { Timothy C Collins
{ Elizabeth Peckham } Clerks

Read at this time extracts of our last Yearly Meetings minutes containing much excellent counsel, which has been salutary to many minds

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held 25th of 4th mo 1827. The accounts being present from our several Preparative Meetings the representatives therein nam'd are Mercy Dockray Hannah Carpenter Dorcas Peckham Elizabeth Browning Lydia Collins Mary Foster & Hannah Knowles whose names being called are present.

The queries were read in this Meeting succeeded by answers from the several preparative Meetings from which we have selected the following descriptive of the present state of this, which we forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mary A Collins & Sarah Congdon whom we appoint representatives. The committee appointed to treat with Deborah Bradley not having attended thereto it is deferred untill another month.

This Meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met as usual & considered such busineſs as came before them. Read at this time the Philadelphia & New York Epistles to satisfaction

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held 28th of 6th mo 1827. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam'd are Mercy Dockray Mary P Hasard Mary A Collins Catharine Collins Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present.

One of the representatives informed this Meeting that they attended Quarterly Meeting agreeble to appointment. The committee appointed to treat with Deborah Bradley not being ready to report it is deferred untill another month. The appointment of Overseers comeing before this Meeting Mary P. Hasard, Mercy Dockray Amy Knowles Eunice Foster Elizabeth Peckham Sarah Sheffield Hannah Knowles Lydia Wilbur & Lydia Collins, are proposed to that station which being considered by this Meeting are united with and accordingly appointed for the year ensuing

The time having expired for which the Clerk and assistant were appointed Mary A Robinson & Ann Brown are appointed to select some friends for that purpose and present at a future Meeting

Read at this time transcripts of Virginia, Ohio, North Carolina, & Baltimore Epistles. The committee appointed to take into consideration respecting Martha Healys & her daughters Certificates being returned from E. Greenwich Mo. Meeting report, that they think well of their being returned to said Meeting, with a communication from this which is as follows. To E. Greenwich Mo. Meeting, having received a communication from your Mo. Meeting with Certificates which was forwarded from this for Martha Healy & her daughter; informing that one of them was not so full as Disipline requres; but as full as they frequently pass from one Mo. Meeting to another. We have endeavored to look into the case and on enquiry dont find any thing previous to her leaving us that will warrant this Meeting to withhold granting a Certificate; if there has any thing taken place since she has resided within the limits of yours as a sufficient reason for your non acceptance thereoff, we request you would forward a ~~ne~~ particular account. Respecting the name in the other Certificate (she was formerly called Hannah) but for many years has assumed the name of Juliann which we have rectifyed in said Certificate the Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this minute

Communication to E Greenwich Mo. Meeting on account of [illegible] Healys Certificates

E. Peckham Clerk.

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 25th of 6th mo 1827. Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present the representatives therein named are ~~f~~ Mercy Dockray Mary A. Robinson Susan Collins Phebe Wilbur Sarah Knowles Sarah S Kinyon Amy Browning & Elizabeth Watson whose names being called are present.

The committee appointed to treat with Deborah Bradley not being ready to report; it is deferr'd under their care

The friends appointed to select a Clerk & assistant have propos Elizabeth Peckham & Abby Robinson Collins & being united with

The friends propose for Clerk & assistant, being united with laſt month, & left for their consideration, conclud. to accept the appointment for the year ensuing expreſsed their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage Lydia Collins & Mary Foster are appointed to enquire into her clearneſs, & make report to our next Meeting. Received & read an Epistle from our last Yearly Meeting containing many pertinent remarks which has been salutary to many minds

S Kingston ~~Preparative~~ Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 24th 1827. Preparative accounts being present [illegible] represent-atives therein nam,d are Mary P. Hasard Mary A Robinson Lydia Wilbur E Foster Hannah Knowles Amy Peckham & Ruth Anna Foster All present

The friends appointed have presented a Certificate for Abigail R. Slocum which is approved & signed & is as follows To the Mo. Meeting of friends at Greenwich

Dear Friends.

Abigail R. Slocum a minor having removed to live within the limits of your Meeting without a Certificate — This may Certify that she is a Member of our Mo. Meeting and as such we recommend her to your care and attention with desires for her growth and establishment in the Truth. from South Kingston Monthly Meeting held at Hopkinton 9th mo 24th 1827 and signed on behalf of the same —

by Timothy C Collins Clerks
Mary Foster Clerk for the day

The case of Deborah Bradley is still continued under the care of the same committee. The committee to visit Julia Bicknell not being ready to report the busineſs is deferred under their care

The committee to enquire into the clearneſs of Catharine E. Collins report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in Marriage with John H Knowles. Mary A. Collins & Lydia Collins are appointed to attend the accomplishment of their said Marriage and make report at next Meeting. — Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Mary Bunker formerly Ray has transgreſsed friends rules by joining in marriage with one not a member of our society & the Overseers informed this Meeting that they had visited her & that she expressed no wiſh to be continued a member therefore we disown her as a member of our society, having the concurrence of mens Meeting therein. Mary A Collins is appointed to inform her thereoff.

by this Meeting they requested a postponement of the appointment for further consideration

Our friend Dorcas Peckham inform, this Meeting that she has a prospect of makeing a visit to her relatives within the compass of Creek Mo. Meeting in the State of New York. She being a member of this and a minister in good esteem with us the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 23d. of 4th mo. 1827 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Ann Brown Mercy Dockray Lydia Wilbur Eliza Foster Sarah Hasard Sarah Foster Elizabeth Hoxsie & Hannah Knowles whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition. The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the 1st. 2nd. & 10th. which we are to forward with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mercy Dockray & Mary Ann Collins our representatives

The committee in the case of Deborah Bradley not being ready to report it is deferred under their care

One of the Overseers inform,d they met as usual

So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 27th. of 8th mo. 1827. Accounts from the several preparative Meetings being present except one the representatives therein nam,d are Mary Foster Lydia Collins Ann Carpenter Hannah Carpenter Hannah Knowles whose names being called are present except 2. – One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform,d they attended agreeable to appointment. Southkingston preparative Meeting informs that Abagail R. Slocum requests a removal Certificate to Greenwich Mo. Meeting we appoint Mercy Dockray & Mary P. – Hasard to make enquiry & if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next Meeting. Richmond preparative Meeting informs that Julia Bicknell wife of Japheth requests to taken under the care of friends, we appoint Mary A Robinson & Mary A Collins to take an opportunity with her and make report at a future Meeting. The committee in the case of Deborah Bradley not being ready to report it is deferr,d under their care

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that John H Knowles proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Catharine E. Collins before this Meeting, they accordingly appeared and

We are also inform,d by Hopkington preparative Meet,g that Thomas Foster & Phebe Wilbur propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this Meeting they accordingly appeared in this Meeting and express,d their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage Susanna Cole & Catharine Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearness, and make report to next Meeting

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 10 mo 22nd 1827. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mary D Brown Mercy Dockray Mary W. Collins Sara Congdon Elizabeth Hoxsie Sarah S Kenyon Elizabeth Watson and Sarah Foster whose names being called are all present. The Queries have been read in this Meeting succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our several preparative Meetings from which we have selected those comprising the present state of this and transmit them to the ensuing Quarter by our representatives who are Lydia Collins Deborah Collins & Mary A. Robinson

The committee appointed to visit Deborah Bradley on account of her joining the Presbyterian Church, report that they find no disposition in her to return and make friends satisfaction, we therefore disown her the right of membership in our society mens meeting concuring therein. The committee on the subject of Julia Bicknell,s request not being ready to report it is deferred under their care.

The friend appointed to inform Mary Bunker formerly Ray of her disownment has attended thereto. The committee appointed to attend the Marriage of John H Knowles & Catharine E. Collins report that they think it was orderly conducted. The committee appointed to enquire into Phebe Wilburs clearness respecting Marriage report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Thomas Foster by keeping to the good order of Friends Susanna Cole and Sarah Congdon are appointed to attend the accomplishment of their Marriage & report to next Meeting. One of the Overseers inform,d this Meeting that they met as usual and considered such business as came before them

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 26 of 11 mo 1827. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mercy Dockray Mary D. Brown Lydia Collins Lydia Wilbur Sarah Knowles Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one who rendered a reasonable excuse for her absence

Representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform, they attended

The committee on the request of Julia Bicknell not being ready to report it is deferr,d under their care. The committee appointed to attend the Marriage of Thomas Foster & Phebe Wilbur report that they think it was orderly conducted. So Kingston Preparative Meeting have presented the the following complaint that Hannah Robinson a Woman of color continues to absent herself from our Meetings & attends those of other societies & speaks in them, the Overseers having labored with her from time time on the account to no satisfaction. This Meeting deliberating on the subject appoint Mary A Robinson & Mary D Brown to confer with her on the subject & make report at a future Meeting. Received a Certificate from Nantucket Mo. Meeting in favor of Anna S. Wife of Isaiah C. Ray which is as follows

To South Kingston Mo. Meeting State of Rhode Island

Dear Friends. Anna S. Wife of Isaiah C Ray, having removed to live within the limits of your Mo. Meeting, requests our Certificate. This may certify that she is member, & as such we recommend her to your care & oversight, & remain your friends

Sign,d in & on behalf of Nantucket Mo. Meeting for the Northern District 3 mo 28th 1824.

Charles G Stubbs Clerk
Mary Coffin Clerk for the day

The time having expired for which the committee was nam,d to examine and grant Certificates of recommendation to Children designed to attend the Yearly Meeting B. School. & it claiming the attention of this Meeting we appoint Mary Foster Mercy Dockray and Dorcas Babcock to that service for the ensuing year

Received transcripts of Epistles from distant Yearly Meetings at this time, and read the London Indianna & Philadelphia to Satisfaction.

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting held at Richmond 24th of 12 mo 1827. Preparative accounts being received the representatives therein nam,d Hannah Carpenter Hannah Hasard Mary W. Collins Susan Collins Sarah Sheffield Hannah Knowles Dorcas Babcock & Lois Perry whose names being called are present except 2 one of which rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence.

The committee on the request of Julia Bicknell not being ready to report it is continued under their care. The committee appointed to treat with Hannah Robinson a woman of color on the subject of complaint, inform that they have an opportunity with her, and that she does not appear willing to omit attending Meetings of other Societies. and is not in any degree disposed to unite with us and attend her own, after extending such advice as they found necessary she gave them no encouragement of complying therewith. This Meeting after due consid-eration of the subject disown her the right of Membership, Mens Meeting concuring therein, Elizabeth Peckham is appointed to inform her thereof

The committee in the case of Elizabeth Hasard not being ready to report it is refered under their care. Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Isaiah Ray and Bathsheba Kenyon proposes publishing their intentions of Marriage before this Meeting they accordingly appeared & express,d their intentions of takeing each other in marriage Mary A Collins & Susan Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearness and make report at next Meeting

The New york & Ohio Epistles have been acceptably read at this time

S.t Kingstown Mo.y Meeting of Women Friends held at ~~Hopkinton~~ Richmond 28th of 1st mo 1828. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are, Lydia Wilbur Mary Foster Mary A. Robinson Mary S. Hasard Sarah ~~Hasard~~ Sheffield Hannah Knowles Amy Browning & Dorcas Babcock whose names being called are present except one

The Queries have been read in this Meeting succeeded by answers from our several preparative Meetings from which we have selected the following most appropriate to the present state of society and an account prepared which we transmit to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Catharine Collins & Elizabeth Peckham our representatives. The committee on the request of Julia Bicknell not being ready to report, it is deferr,d under their care with the addition of Hannah Knowles thereto The friend appointed to inform Hannah Robinson of her disownment has attended "

The committee in the complaint of Elizabeth Hasard not being ready to report it is deferred under their care untill another one

The committee to enquire into Bathsheba Kenyon,s clearness respecting marriage report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Josiah Chay by keeping to the good order of friends Mary Collins & Lydia Wilbur are appointed to attend and make report to next Meeting. This Meeting is inform,d that Lydia S. Collins requests a removal Certificate to Greenwich Mo.y Meeting; we appoint Mary Foster and Catharine Collins, to make enquiry & if nothing appears to obstruct, to prepare one and present to next Meeting

This Meeting is inform,d that part of the Overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them

At S.t Kingston Mo.y Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 25th of 2nd mo 1828. Preparative accounts being present except the one from Richmond the representatives therein nam,d are Mercy Dockray Mary S. Hasard Mary A. Collins Martha Collins Hannah M. Babcock & Elizabeth Watson whose names being called are present except two. One of the representatives inform,d, that they attended Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment. One of the committee to visit Julia Bicknell on her request inform,d, this Meeting they were not ready to report & it is deferred under their care

The friends appointed to treat with Elizabeth Hazard have presented the following report; We of the committee appointed to visit Elizabeth Hazard on the account of her leaving her Husband & other Misconduct, have attended to our appointment, & it is our Judgment that her giving way to a fretful impatient disposition was the introductory cause of the

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denial of

separation, which we consider notwithstanding the apprehended provocation is reproachful. - we also find that in other respects her conduct has been disreputable, & that she did not appear in a suitable disposition of mind to make satisfaction. Mary A. Collins Mary P. Hazard Lydia Wilbur Anstress Nichols & Eunice Foster

This Meeting after due consideration of the subject think its best for the maintainance of our principles to disown her the right of Membership until she is sensible of her said transgression and return and make friends satisfaction, our men friends uniting with us therein, Elizabeth Peckham is appointed to inform her thereof.

The Committee appointed, have produced a Certificate which is as follows, the Clerk is directed to sign record and forward the same

Lydia T Collins certificate

To Greenwich Mo. Meeting of Women Friends.

Dear Friends, Lydia T. Collins having return'd to live with her Parents within the limits of your Monthly Meeting, requests our Certificate, this may certify that she is a member of this Meeting & while with us conducted in an orderly manner, her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction; and she is clear of marriage engagements among us we recommend her to your notice and are your friends.

Signed on behalf and by direction of S. Kingston Mo. Meeting
held at Richmond 25th of 2d mo. 1828 Timothy C. Collins Clerk
by Elizabeth Peckham

The friends appointed to attend the marriage of Isaiah Gray and Bathsheba Kenyon, report that it was orderly conducted

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Western Meeting house 24th of 3 mo 1828, Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam'd are Mary P. Hasard, Mercy Dockray Catharine Collins Mary A. Collins Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Hoxsie Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Browning, whose names being called are present except one

The committee on the request of Julia Bicknell not being ready to report it is deferr'd under their care The friend appointed Elizabeth Hasard of her disownment has attended thereto

Received & read the London Printed Epistle of 1827. at this time containing much excellent counsel & encouragement

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at western 21st of 4th mo 1828. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mary A Robinson Mary P. Hasard Lydia Collins Mary Foster Sarah Sheffield Phebe Foster Lois Perry & Amy Browning whose names being called are present except four

The Queries with the answers from our several Preparative Meetings have been read in this, & those selected comprising the present State of this, & an account prepared which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mary A Robinson & Mercy Dockray whom we appoint representatives. The Committee on the request of Julia Bicknell inform,d this Meeting, that they had visited her, & have not had opportunity of conferring together on the subject, which we refer untill next Meeting One of the Overseers inform,d this Meeting, they met as usual & cosidered such busineſs as came before them

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 5th mo th 1827. Preparative accounts being present except Richmond which was unattended except by one, on account of stormy weather the representatives therein nam,d are Mercy Dockray Sarah Kenyon Catharine Collins Mary A. Collins Elizabeth Browning & Rebecca Segar whose names being called are present. One of the Representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform,d they attended agreeable to appointment The time having expired for which the Overseers were appointed the Representatives from the several preparative Meetings have presented the following names; Mary P. Hasard Mercy Dockray Eunice Foster Elizabeth Peckham Lydia Wilbur Lydia Collins Catharine Collins Sarah Sheffield & Hannah Knowles, they being united with by this & mens Meeting are accordingly appointed

Elizabeth Hasard forwarded to this Meeting the following communication and request; Swanzey 5th mo 23, 1828.

To So Kingston Mo Meeting

Having been inform,d that the Clerk of your Womens Meeting sent a written information; that you had denied me a right of Membership, I hereby inform you that, I consider it my duty, to appeal from the Judgment of your Meeting, to the Quarterly Meeting, for their further investigation, that truth may appear. for that purpose request a Copy of the Complaint of the Overseers, a Copy of the Committees report, and a Copy of your minute of my Denial. This Meeting after due consideration of the subject appoint Mary A Collins Mary P. Hasard Lydia Wilbur Dorcas Ba Mary Foster & Lydia Collins, to take the Minutes of all the proceedings of this Monthethly Meeting and represent to the Quarterly Meetings Commi the cause and ground that her denial was founded upon; and proceed according to Disipline and make report at a future Meeting

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 28 of 6th mo 1828. Accounts from the several preparative Meeting being presented the representatives ~~from the sever~~ therein nam'd are Mary A Collins Mary Foster Hannah Hasard Hannah Carpenter Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowle Elizabeth Browning & Dorcas Babcock whose names being call are present except one of which we are informed was prevented by attending by indisposition in her family

Western Preparative Meeting inform'd that Sarah Babc is about to remove within the compass of Greenwich Mo. Meetin and request our Certificate Amy Knowles & Dorcas Babcock are appointed to take the necessary care and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one; and present to next Meeting

A Minute from Creek Mo. Meeting at N. York on behalf of Dorcas Peckham — informing she had spent some time with them with a copy of a minute from this dated 7th mo last which with her company has been acceptable

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 28th of 7th mo 1828 Preparatives accounts being present the representatives therein nam'd are Hannah Carpenter Ann Brow Lydia Wilbur Sarah Congdon Hannah Knowles and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are all present—

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answ from our several preparative Meetings, from which we have selected those most appropriate to the present state of this and are to forward them to the ensuing Quarter by Lydia Wilbur Ann Brown and Mary A Collins whom we appoint representatives. The friends appointed have produced a Certificate which is as follows. the Clerk is directed to record and forward the same

To Greenwich Mo. Meeting Sarah Babcock having removed, to live within the limits of your Mo. Meeting, requests our Certificate; She is a Member of this Meeting of a regular life and conversation, has settled her temporal concerns to satisfaction, and is clear of Marriage engagements, we recommend her to your notice, and are your Friends

Signed on behalf and by direction of S. Kingston Mo. Meeting held 28th of 8th mo 1828

Timothy C Collins
Elizabeth Peckham Clerk

S. Kingston Preparative Meeting have presented the following complaint, that Susannah Nichols daughter of Andrew has transgress,d friends rules in a very unchaste manner which we present as busineſs this Meeting takeing the subject into consideration are of the opinion that her transgression is of such a nature, as to demand an immediate dismission from society, having been previously visited and labored with by the Overseers. We therefore disown her the right of membership untill she shall return and make friends satisfaction for her said transgression our men friends uniteing with us therein, Mary A. Collins and Hannah Knowles are appointed to visit ~~her~~ and inform her of the decision of this Meeting, allso to extend such advice as they may find necessary on the account—

One of the Overseers inform,d this Meeting that they met as usual and considered such busineſs as came before them. The subject of Julia Bicknell being revived in this Meeting it is deferr,d untill another month

The time having expired for which the clerk and assistant were appointed, Mary T Hasard and Mercy Dockray are appointed to select some friends for that service and present to next Meeting

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 25th of 8th mo 182

Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Anna Carpenter Mary P Hasard, Catharine Collins Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Hoxsie Phebe Foster Hait Babcock & Rebecca Segar, whose names being called are present except two who rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence. One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform,d that two attended agreeable to appointment the other was prevented by indisposition

The friend appointed to forward Sarah Babcock,s Certifica inform,d she had attended to her appointment-

The friends appointed to inform Susannah Nichols of her denial, have not yet attended thereto & it is continued under their care. The Committee to wait on Julia Bicknell, not being ready to report it is deferred under their care

Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Wm R Hasard & Mary Wilbur propose publishing their intentions of Marriage before Meeting they accordingly appeared & expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage Mary A Collins & Catharine Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearneſs & make report to next Meeting. The friends appointed to select a Clerk & assistant inform,d they had not attended thereto and the former one being willing to serve for the day it is deferr,d untill next Meeting.

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 22 of 9th mo 1828. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mary P Hasard Mercy Dockray Lydia Collins Mary Foster Hannah N Babcock Elizabeth Peckham Hannah Knowles & Sarah Sheffield, who are present except three, for whose absence satisfactory reasons were rendered The friends appointed to inform Susannah Nichols of her disownment have attended thereto

The Committee in the case of Julia Bicknell not being ready to report at this time, the busineſs is continued under their care The Committee to enquire into Mary Wilbur,s clearneſs report that they find nothing to obstruct her proceeding in marriage with William R Hasard by keeping to the good order of friends. Lydia Collins & Susanna Collins are appointed to attend said marriage & report to next Meeting

Hopkington Preparative Meeting informs that Gideon Wilbur & Susan Gardner propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this Meeting they accordingly appeared & expreſsed their intention of takeing each other in marriage Mary Foster & Lydia Wilbur are appointed to enquire into her clearneſs & report to next Meeting

Western Preparative Meeting informs that John Peckham & Judith Foster propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this Meeting they accordingly appeared & expreſsed their intentions of taking each other in Marriage Mary A Collins & Sarah Hasard are appointed to enquire into her clearness & make report to next Meeting

The Friends appointed to select a Clerk & assistant have proposed Elizabeth Peckham for Clerk & Abigail R Collins assistant & it being agreeable to the Meeting they are accordingly appointed for the ensuing year

received at this time Extracts from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting ~~minutes~~ together with an extract from the minutes of Philadelphia Y. Meeting which were read to satisfaction. The report of the Yearly Meeting Boarding School Committee is allso received & read to satisfaction

Mary Foster Clerk for the day

At S^o Kingston M^o Meeting of Women friends held 27th of 10th 1828. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary A Robinson Mary Dockray Mary Foster Lydia Wilbur Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Browning all present except one

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers ~~to~~ from our several preparatives to the first second & tenth from which we have selected those most descriptive of the present state of this Meeting & are to forward them to the ensuing Quarter by Mary A Collins & Mary Foster our representatives

The Committee appointed to enquire into Susan Gardners clearness respecting marriage report they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Gideon Wilbur by keeping to the good order of friends Mary A Collins & Elizabeth Foster are appointed to attend said marriage and report to next Meeting

The Committee appointed to enquire into Judith Fosters clearness respecting Marriage report that they find nothing to obstruct her proceeding in marriage with John Peckham they are at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order of society Mercy Dockray & Mary Foster are appointed to attend said marriage & make report to next Meeting. The Committees in the case of Julia Becknell inform they have attended to their appointment but not being ready to report it is deferred under their care

The Committee appointed to attend the marriage of Wm R Hasard & Mary Wilbur report they are of the opinion it was orderly conducted

A. R. C. Clerk for the Day

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 11th mo 1828. Preparative accounts being present the representative therein nam,d are Ann Brown Mercy Dockray Mary A Collins Catharine Collins Phebe Foster Sarah Knowles Elizabeth Peckham & Ruth A Foster whose names being called are present

One of the representatives to Q. Meeting inform,d they attended agreeable to appointment

The Committee appointed to attend the Marriage of Gideon Wilbur & Susan Gardner report that according to their observation it was orderly conducted

The Committee appointed to attend the Marriage of John Peckham & Judith Foster report that it was orderly conducted

The request of Julia Bicknell is deferred under the care of the same Committee.

Received Transcripts of Epistles from the different Y. Meetings on this Continent, also one from London; & read Philadelphia Newyork, Indianna; Ohio, & London Epistles at this time we trust to the encouragement of many minds

At S. Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 26th of 12th mo 1828. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mary R Hazard, Mary Dockray Mary W Collins Lydia Wilbur Jun Elizabeth Rathbun Hannah Knowles Dorcas Babcock & Eunice Foster, whose names being called are all present,

The Committee in the case of Julia Bicknell not being ready to report, it is deferred to a future Meeting.

The time having expired for which the Committee was nam,d to examine & grant Certificates of recommendation, & also to select such Children for the Yearly Meeting B. School as may be most suitable for Mo Meeting Scholars, we appoint Mary Foster, Elizabeth Hoxsie Eunice Foster & Mercy Dockray to that service for the year ensuing

Was read at this the North Carolina & Virginia Epistles to

This Meeting is informed that John H Knowles and Wife have removed within the compass of Greenwich Mo Meeting and requests our Certificate Mary Foster and Mary A Collins are appointed to join our men friends in preparing one for them and present to next Meet,g

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 23d 1st mo 1829. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Hannah Carpenter Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Horsie Hannah Knowles Rebecca Segar and Sarah Foster whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting, succeeded by answers from each of our preparative Meetings; from which we have selected the following to which we refer you and forward them by Mary A Robinson Mary Foster and Elizabeth Peckham ~~ou~~ representati

The Friends appointed have produced a Certificate for John H Knowles & Wife with their infant son William Collins; which is accepted signed & returned to mens Meeting to be recorded & forwarded.

One of the Overseers informed this Meeting that they met as usual and considered such business as came before them

This Meeting is informed that Ann Sheffield has placed her Daughter within the limits of Providence Mo. Meeting; and requests our Certificate, Lydia Wilbur is appointed to prepare one and present at a future Meeting

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 3d mo 23d 1829. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mary A Robinson Mary P Hazard Mary A. Collins Susan Collins Sarah Knowles Elizabeth Peckham and Amy Browning whose names being called are present except three ~~The difficulty of travelling~~ The inclemency of Weather & difficulty of travelling, occasioned by the fall of an unusual quantity of Snow prevented the Representatives, and others from attending on our last Mo. Meeting day 2 mo 23d 1829. in consequence of which that Meeting was omitted

One of the Representatives informed that two attended Quarterly Meeting the other was prevented by the inclemency of the weather

The Friends appointed have produced a Certificate for Emma Sheffield daughter of Ann Sheffield a minor which is approved by both Meetings, the Clerk is directed to record & forward the same

To Providence Mo. Meeting of Friends

Dear Friends Emma Sheffield, a minor Child, having removed to reside with Calvin Shove, at place called Valley Falls, within the limits of your Meeting, & her Mother having requested a Certificate on her behalf; these are therefore to Certify, that she is a member of our society we commend her to your Christian care and oversight

Signed on behalf and by direction of S. Kingston Mo. Meeting held at Western 23d of 3 mo 1829.

by Timothy Collins Clerk
Elizabeth Peckham

This Meeting is informed that John T Kinyon requests a removal Certificate for himself Wife and family to Greenwich Mo. Meeting we appoint Mercy Dockray and Ann Brown to join our men friends, and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present at a future Meeting

The Committee on the request of Julia Bicknell not being ready to report it is deferr,d under their care to a future Meeting

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 27th of 4th mo 1829 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are Mercy Dockray Hannah Hasard Catharine Collins Mary Foster Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Rathbone Rebecca Segar & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers from each of our Preparative Meetings, from which we have selected those that appeared most descriptive of our present state & forward them with the account ~~by our~~ to the ensuing Quarter by our representatives Lydia Wilbur Mercy Dockray & Amy Knowles.

The friends appointed to prepare a Certificate for John T Kinyon Wife and family, not being ready to ~~report~~ produce one, it is deferred untill next Meeting.

This Meeting is inform,d that Rowland Hasard requests a removal Certificate for himself wife & family to Rhode Island Mo. Meeting, we appoint Mercy Dockray & Elizabeth Peckham to join our men friends & iff nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one & present to next Meeting

The Clerk inform,d this Meeting that she had forwarded the Certificate that was under her care.

One of the Overseers inform,d that they met as usual & considered such busineſs as came before them

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 25th of 5th mo. 1829. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam'd are Amy Knowles Dorcas Babcock Elizabeth Foster Thankful Collins Ann Brown Mary H Hazard Sarah Rathbone & Hannah Knowles whose names being called are present

The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform,d they attended agreeable to appointment

The time having expired for which the Overseers were appointed our several Preparative Meeting have proposed the following names Mary A Robinson Ann Brown Mercy Dockray Lydia Wilbur Lydia Collins Eunice Foster Dorcas Babcock Sarah Sheffield & Hannah Knowles, they being united with by this & mens Meeting are accordingly appointed for the year ensuing

The Friends appointed have produced a Certificate for Rowland Hazard Wife & family; also one for John T Kinyon Wife & family which have been read; are approved & signed & returned to mens Meeting to be recorded & forwarded

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held 22 of 6th mo 1829. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are, Ruth H Hazard Ann Brown Lydia Collins Sarah Congdon Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster & Amy Browning whose names being called are present except two

The Committee appointed to attend to the appeal of Elizabeth Hazard to the Quarterly Meeting, inform,d that ~~attended~~ the Judgment of this Mo Meeting in disowning her was confirmed by the Quarter

Received a Certificate in favor of Dorcas Robinson wife Wm from Providence Mo Meeting which has been read is accepted & is as follows

To So Kingston Mo Meeting of Friends

Dear Friends Dorcas B Robinson, wife William A Robinson having removed to reside with her husband, requests our Certificate. we hereby certify ~~as her~~ that she is a member of our Meeting, and while with us, her life and deportment, was in a good degree consistent with the order of Friends, and as far as appears, her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction - - as such we recommend her to your Christian care and regard - — —

Signed by direction and on behalf of Providence Mo Meeting of friends held at Providence 5th mo 27th 1829.

by Abagail Arnold
Arnold Congdon
Clerks

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held 26th of 7th mo 1829 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam,d are, for South Kingston Mary Carr Mary Dockray Abby R Collins Susan Wilbur Hannah Knowles Judith T Peckham & Amy Knowles, whose names being called are present

The Queries have been read at this time succeded by answers from each of our preparative Meetings, from them we have compiled the following answers & believe them to be descriptive of the present state of this Meeting, who are to forward them to the ensuing Quarter by Susan Collins & Eunice Foster whom we appoint representatives

One of the Overseers informed, that they met as usual & considered such business as came before them

The Committee to wait on Julia Bicknell's request informed that, they continued to pay attention thereto, but are not ready to report

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 24th of 8th mo 1829. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary Dockray Lydia Collins Mary A Collins Elizabeth Rathbone Amy Knowles & Rebecca Segar, whose names being called are present. One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informed they attended

Hopkington preparative Meeting informs that Wm Earl & Catharine Collins propose publishing their intentions of Marriage before this Meeting, they accordingly appeared & expressed their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage, Mary A Collins & Lydia Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting Marriage & report to next Meeting

Western Preparative Meeting also informs that Samuel Sheffield & Amy Browning propose publishing their intentions of Marriage before this Meeting they accordingly appeared & expressed their intentions of takeing each other in marriage Elizabeth Peckham & Dorcas Babcock are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting Marriage and report to next Meeting

Our esteemed Friend John Wilbur opened in this Meeting a Concern that had for a considerable length of time rested on his mind, to attend Sandwich Quarterly Meeting and some, belonging thereto, which after solid deliberation was united with, and he left at liberty to pursue his prospect, as truth may open the way

Received and read a report of the Y & Me Boarding School Committee which is acceptable to this Meeting

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 21st of 9th mo 1829 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Ann Brown Mary A Collins Mary Foster Mary Knowles Elizabeth Browning & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one

The Committee appointed to enquire into Catherine Collins clearness respecting Marriage inform that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding with Wm Earl they are at liberty to proceed by keeping to the good order of Friends Mary A Collins & Sarah Congdon are appointed to attend the Marriage & make report at a future Meeting

The Committee appointed to enquire into the clearness of Amy Browning respecting Marriage report that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding with Samuel Sheffield, ~~they~~ by keeping to the good order established among Friends Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham are appointed to attend the solemnization thereof & make report at a future Meeting

Read at this time the report of the Y M B School Committee which is acceptable, and appoint — Elizabeth Hoxsie Eunice Foster Mercy Dockray & Mary Foster for the ensuing year, to select such Children of that school as may be most suitable for Mo. Meeting Scholars

The Clerk and assistant informed this Meeting that the time had expired for which they were appointed, Ann Brown & Mercy Dockray are appointed to select some names for that purpose & present at next Meeting

E. P. Clerk

At a Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 26th of 10th mo 1829. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur Mary Collins Hannah Knowles Amy Sheffield & Amy Knowles whose names being called are all present except one who sent a satisfactory reason for her absence. The Queries have been read at this time with answers from each of our preparative Meetings, from them we have selected those, that we believe to be most descriptive of the present state of this Meeting; & are to forward them to the ensuing by Lydia Collins & Sarah Congdon our representatives

Our esteemed friend Sarah Tucker attended this Meeting and all the Meetings constituting this; with a minute of concurrence from Dartmouth Mo. Meeting, expressive of their unity & Sympathy with her therein; whose company & religious engagements have been acceptable to us; Allso Rhoda Howland with a minute of concurrence from Newbedford Mo. Meeting expressive of their unity with her in accompanying Sarah Tucker in her proposed visit; whose company & solid deportment has been acceptable at this time.

The Committee to attend the Marriage of Catharine Collins & Wm. Earl, report, that according to their observation it was orderly conducted. The Committee to attend the Marriage of Amy Browning & Samuel Sheffield report that it was orderly conducted.

Hopkington preparative Meeting informs, that Catharine C. Earl requests a removal Certificate to Swanzey Mo. Meeting Mary Collins & Mary Foster are appointed to prepare one & present at a future Meeting

Read at this time the London N. York & Virginia Epistles we trust to our Edification & encouragement

At S^o Kingstown M^o Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 22^d of 11^th m^o 1829. Preparative accounts being present, except one the representatives therein nam,d are Mary A Robinson Mary Dockray Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur ~~Elizabeth Anthony~~ Elizabeth Peckham & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except one, the account from Richmond did not reach here owing to extreme stormy weather

Extracts of minutes for our Friends Sarah Tucker & Rhoda Howland have been produced approved & signed the Clerk is directed to forward the same to their respective Meetings

This Meeting is inform,d that the Representatives to Quarterly attended agreeable to appointment. The Committee to prepare a Certificate for Catharine C Earl inform,d they had not attended thereto some circumstances preventing which is deferr,d untill another month

The Committee appointed to visit Julia Bicknell produced the following report; We your Committee appointed by the M^o Meeting to visit Julia Bicknell on her application to become a member of our society, have had several opportunities with her — we think her sincere in her request — & in a good degree a believer in the principles of friends — as far as we could discern; with this view of the subject we submit to the consideration of this Meeting, whether it may not be best to grant her request Mary A Robinson Mary A Collins Hannah Knowles Andrew Nichols. This Meeting takeing the subject into consideration & there being so few present, think best to defer acting on the report untill another m^o

S^o Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Mary W. Carpenter requests to become a member of our society Mary A Robinson & Elizabeth Peckham are appointed to visit her on account of her request and report their sense of her suitablenefs to become a member of our society at a future Meeting

The subject of appointing Clerk & assistant comeing before this Meeting it is deferr,d under the care of the former Committee E P Clerk

At S^o Kingston M^o Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 28^th of 12^th m^o 1829 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary Dockray Mary W. Hazard Lydia Collins Susan C. Wilbur Phebe Foster Hannah Knowles Judith P Peckham & Eunice Foster who being called are present

The Committee appointed to select some friends names for clerk and assistant propose Elizabeth Peckham for Clerk & Lydia Wilbur for assistant, which being united with, and they are accordingly appointed for the year ensuing. The Committee to prepare a Certificate for Catharine C Earl not having produced one, it is deferr,d under their care

The Committee in case of Julia Bicknell reported at our last Meeting which not being acted upon, it therefore comes before this; after considering the subject, think best to receive her into membership with us mens friends concurring with us therein

The Committee appointed at our last Mo. Meeting to have an opportunity with Mary H Carpenter on her request to become a memb of our society not being present its deferr'd under their care; read at this time Ohio & Indianna Epistles to satisfaction

At a Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 25th of 1st mo 1829 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mary L Brown Mary A Collins Susan Collins Hannah Knowles Sarah Knowles Amy Knowles & Amy Sheffield whose names being called are present except three for whose absense satisfactory reasons were rendered

The Queries with the answers from each of our preparative Meetings have been read in this, and from them we have selected those comprising the present state of this Meeting which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mercy Dockray & Elizabeth Peckham.

The friends appointed have produced a Certificate for Catharine C Earl is approved & is as follows; the Clerk is directed to record and forward the same

Catharine C Earl Certificate

To Swanzey Mo. meeting of Friends

Dear Friends

Catharine C Earl Wife of William Earl having within the limits of your Meeting requests our Certificate; these are to certify that she is a member of our ~~society~~ Meeting of an orderly life & conversation, and upon enquiry it appears, that her temporal concerns are settled to satisfaction; as such we recommend her to your sisterly care & attention

Signed in & on behalf of So Kingston Mo. Meeting held at Richmond 25th of 1st mo 1830

Timothy C Collins
by Elizabeth Peckham Clks.

The Committee appointed to visit Mary H Carpenter on her request informed, they had visited her and were not ready to make a full report

Read at this time the Philadelphia Epistles to satisfaction

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 22nd of 2nd mo. 1830 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mercy Lochray Hannah B Williams Mary A Collins Susan C Wilbur Elizabeth Rathbun Elizabeth Hoxsie Elizabeth Peckham & Dorcas Babcock whose names being called are all present One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform,d she attended the other rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence The friend appointed to forward Catharine C Earl,s Certificate inform,d that she had attended thereto

The committee appointed to visit Mary H Carpenter on her request to be admitted into membership ~~onto~~ with friends informed; they were not ready to make report at this time; it is deferr,d under their care

It is proposed by this Meeting that the Epistles be transcribed and sent to each of our Preparative Meetings Sarah Knowles Lydia Wilbur Hannah B Williams Martha Collins Amy Sheffield & Mary D Brown are appointed to take Copies of the same 3 of each & forward them to the ensuing Monthly Meeting

At S K Mo. Meeting held at Western 22d of 3d mo. 1830. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mary W Hazard Abby R Collins Lydia Wilbur Hannah Knowles Sarah Knowles Elizabeth Browning & Lois Perry whose names being called are all present

The friends appointed to visit Mary H Carpenter on her request, informed they were not ready to report

The friends appointed to transcribe the Epistles for each of our Preparative Meetings have attended thereto, and they are accordingly to be forwarded to the same Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Isaiah Ray & Wife have removed to Nantucket Mo. Meeting & request our Certificate; Lydia ~~Collins~~ Wilbur Jun. & Martha Collins are appointed to take the necessary care respecting it & if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting

At S. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Western 26th of 4th mo. 1830 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary A Robinson Hannah Carpenter Lydia Collins Lydia Wilbur Sarah Sheffield Hannah Knowles Dorcas Babcock & Rebecca Segar whose names being called are present except two

The Queries with the answers from our several preparative Meetings have been read in this from them we have selected the following & believe them to be discriptive of the present state of this Meeting & are to forward them to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mary A Robinson Mary A Collins & Mary D Brown our representatives

Agreeable to appointment we have visited Mary H Carpenter to a good degree of satisfaction on account of her request to become a member, & are united in believing that her mind is under the operation of the convincing principle of truth, & that her motives are sincere in requesting to be admitted into membership Andrew Nichols Othniel Foster Mary A Robinson and Elizabeth Peckham, this Meeting after due consideration of the subject think best to grant her request & she is accordingly admitted into Membership, men friends concurring with us therein, Mary A Robinson is appointed to inform her thereof

The friends appointed to prepare a Certificate for Isaiah C Ray & Wife have presented one which has been read is approved by by both Meetings and signed by the Clerks

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Westerly 24th of 5th mo 1830. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary Dockray Basheby Ray Gulielma Collins Amy Sheffield Mary Knowles Amy Knowles & Hannah ~~Knowles~~ M Babcock whose names being are all present

One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informed ~~they~~ she attended the others rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence

The friend appointed to inform Mary H Carpenter of her admission into membership with friends, informed, ~~had~~ have attended thereto

The appointment of Overseers for society coming before this Meeting ~~for Society~~ Mary D Brown Mercy Dockray Eunice Foster Dorcas Babcock Lydia Wilbur Lydia Collins Hannah Knowles and Sarah Sheffield are appointed to that service for the ensuing year, men friends concurring therein

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held in So Kingston 21st of 6th mo 1830 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Mary A Robinson Lydia Collins Mary A Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Rebecca Segar & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except one who rendered a reasonable excuse for her absense

So Kingston preparative meeting informs that Stephen Athin & Anna A Robinson propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this Meeting, they accordingly appeared & expressed their intention of taking each other in Marriage Ann Brown & Mercy Dockray are appointed to enquire into her clearneſs of Marriage engagements and make report to next Meeting

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held in So Kingston 20th of 7th mo 1830. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Mary D Brown Lydia Wilbur Susan Collins Sarah Sheffield Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one

The Queries with the answers from our several preparative Meeting have been read in this, from them we have selected those that appear to be descriptive of our present state & are to forward them with the accounts to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Mary A Collins & Mary D Brown our Representatives The Committee appointed to enquire into Anne A Robinson,s clearneſs with regard to marriage, inform,d that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding in Marriage with Stephen A Chase, they having the consent of Parents are at liberty to proceed in Marriage Mercy Dockray & Ann Brown are appointed to attend the solemnization thereoff & make report to next Meeting

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held in So Kingston 23d of 8th mo 1830 Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary W. Hazard Mary A Collins Lydia Collins Elizabeth Rathbun Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Browning & Judith Peckham whose names being called are present

This Meeting is informed that the Representatives attended Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment

Our beloved friend Elizabeth Wing attended this Meeting & most of the Meetings constituting this; with a minute of concurrence from Rhode Island Mo Meeting expressive of their unity with her therein whose company & religious labors have been acceptable to us.

The Committee appointed to attend the Marriage of Stephen A Chase & Anne A Robinson inform,d that it was in a good degree orderly conducted

Received & read at this time Extracts of the Minutes of our last Yearly Meeting containing much excellent counsil which has been acceptable to us, the Clerk is directed to record the same

Received & read the report of the ~~B~~ Y N B S Committee which is acceptable The time having expired for which the Committee was appointed, to select those Children that appear most suitable to go as Mo Meeting Scholars to the Y. N. B. S; also to grant Certificates of Recommendation to them & others. We appoint Mary A Collins

Ann Brown Eunice Foster & Hannah Knowles to that service for the yea

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkington 27th of 9th mo 1830 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein nam'd are Mary D. Brown Mary A Robinson Bathsheba Peay Ruth Kenyon Phebe Foster Elizabeth Hoxsie Elizabeth Peckham & Hannah M Babcock whose names being called are all present

Read at this time the Philadelphia, Newyork, Baltimore, Ohio, Idianna Virginia & North Carolina Epistles we trust to the edification and encouragement of many minds

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkington 25th of 10 mo 1830 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Mary A. Robinson Susan Collins Sarah Congdon Sarah Sheffield Hannah Knowles Sarah Foster & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present except two

The Queries with the answers from our several Preparative Meetg have been read in this, from them we have selected those Answers that appear to comprise the present State of this Meeting & are to forward them to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Susan Collins Elizabeth Peckham & Mercy Dockray our representatives

Our Beloved friend Sarah Shove attended this Meeting with a minute of concurrence from Uxbridge Mo Meeting expressive of their Unity with her in her prospect of visiting the families of this Mo Meeting which in the Company the Company of her husband Josiah Shove has accomplished to the satisfaction of friends. the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a Copy of this minute

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 21st of 11th mo 1830 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mercy Dockray Lydia Wilbur Junr Susanna Cole Elizabeth Rathbun Elizabeth Hoxsie Eunice Foster & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present except one

One of the Representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform ~~the~~ attended the other 2 were prevented by indisposition

This Meeting is inform'd that Sarah Shoves minute has been forwarded as was directed by this Meeting

Read at this time the London Printed Epistle to Satisfaction

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmon 27th of 12 mo 1830 Preparative accounts being present the representative therein named are Mary A Robinson Mary D Brown Lydia Collins

Mary A. Collins Hannah Knowles Edith Ann Hoxsie Sarah Foster & Hannah M Babcock whose names being called are present except five one of whom was prevented by indisposition

Our Esteemed Friend John Wilbur spread before this in a weighty manner a prospect that had for a considerable length of time impressed his mind, to make a religious visit to some parts of Europe which claiming the solid & deliberate consideration of this Meeting much Sympathy & Unity has been expressed with him therein

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Richmond 19th of 2d mo 1831. Preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein nam'd are Bathsheba Ray Martha Collins Hannah Knowles Sarah Knowles Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Browning whose names being called are present except one

Friends being prevented attending our last Mo Meeting on account of the Roads being so drifted with Snow & extreme difficulty of travelling that the Meeting fell through in consequence thereof.

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Western Meeting house 28th of 3d mo 1831. Preparative Accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockray Ann Brown Mary A Foster Abigail B Collins Elizabeth Rathbun Sarah Green & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present except one who rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. This Meeting is informed that Anne Chase requests a removal Certificate to Dover Mo Meeting in the State of ~~Mas~~ Newhampshire Eunice Foster & Amy Knowles are appointed to take the necessary care & if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one & present to next Meeting

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Western Meeting house 25th of 4th mo 1831. Preparative Accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary D Brown Ann Brown Lydia Collins Mary A Collins Elizabeth Hoxsie Elizabeth Browning & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present

The Queries with the Answers from each of our Preparative Meetings have been read in this; from them we have selected the following and believe them to comprise the present State of this Meeting; & are to forward them with this account to the ensuing Q meeting by ~~our representatives~~ Eunice Foster & Ann Brown our representatives we inform that Transcripts of Epistles have been received and read to satisfaction.

The Committee appointed have produced a Certificate which is approv by this and mens Meeting and is as follows the Clerk is directed to record and forward the same

To Dover Mo. Meeting of Friends State of Newhampshire

Dear Friends

Anne A Wife of Stephen A Chase having removed to reside with her husband within the limits of your Meeting requests our Certificate. These may inform that she is a Member of ~~this Meeting~~ our Society, of an orderly life, and while with us a frequent attender of our religious Meetings; enquiry being made it appears that her temporal concerns are left to satisfaction. As such we recommend her to your care and attention with desires for her preservation and growth in the truth

Signed by direction and on behalf of So. Kingston Mo. Meeting held 4th mo 25th 1831

by Timothy C Collins
Elizabeth Peckham Clerks

South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Mary W Hazard wife of Wm requests a removal Certificate to Creek Mo. Meeting State of N. York Ann Brown & Mary D Brown are appointed to make enquiry and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare an essay of one and present to next Meeting. Also that Sarah Wife of James R. Hazard have removed with her Children to Nantucket without a Certificate. Mary A. Collins & Lydia Collins are appointed to prepare one and present to next Meeting

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Westerly 23d of 5th mo 1831. Preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Lydia Wilbur Jun Mary A Collins Mary A. Robinson Mary L. Brown Elizabeth Watson & Rebecca Segar no account produced from Richmond & we are informed the Meeting fell through in consequence of a ~~heavy rain~~ storm names being called are present

One of the Representatives to Quarterly Meeting informed she attended the other was prevented by indisposition in her family

The friends appointed have produced a Certificate for Wm R Hazard wife and infant Son which is approved by both Meetings & signed

The Committee appointed have produced a Certificate for James R Hazard's Wife & family which is approved by both Meetings & is as follows the Clerk is directed to record & forward the same

To Nantucket Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends

Sarah B. wife of James R. Hazard having removed to Nantucket with her Minor Children viz James B. Elvis R. Mary R. Peter J. & Jonathan N. Hazard, requests our Certificate; these are to Certify that they are Members of our Mo. Meeting we therefore recommend them to your christian care and oversight with desires for their welfare

Signed by direction of So. Kingston Mo. Meeting held

23d of 5th mo 1831.

Timothy C Collins
Elizabeth Peckham } Clerks

Western Preparative Meeting informs that Jane Hazard is desirous of placi herself under the care of friends, & allso her two youngest daughters Laura & Alice J. F. Hazard Mary A. Collins & Mary A. Robinson are appointed to take a solid opportunity with her & report their sense & judgment respecting her suitableness to become a member of our society at a future Meeting

The appointment of Overseers comeing before this Meeting Lydia Wilbu Lydia Collins Eunice Foster Elizabeth Watson Mercy Dockray Ann Brown Hannah Knowles, & Elizabeth Rathbun, they are united with by this & mens meeting and are accordingly appointed

This Meeting takeing into view the reappointment of a Committee to inspect the poor & ~~and~~ those that may stand in need of their assistance we propose Amy Knowles Mary A Collins Mary A. Robinson & Hannah Knowles to that service for the year ensuing

The appointment of a Clerk & assistant comeing before this Meeting Eunice Foster & Mercy Dockray are appointed to bring forward some names at a future Meeting for that service

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held in So. Kingston 27th of 6th mo 1831. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Ann Brown Maryann Foster Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Hoxsie Judith Peckham & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except one

The Committee appointed to visit Jane Hazard on her request informed, that they were not prepared to make report at this time. it is referred under their care

The Committee appointed to select some friends names for Clerk & assistant informed, they had attended thereto, but were not ready to report

At So. Kingston Mo. meeting of Women friends held 25th of 7th 1831. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Mary Carr Ruth hannah Hazard Eliza Foster Martha Collins Hannah Knowles Mary Knowles Ruth Foster & Rebecca Segar whose names being called are all present

The Queries with the answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read in this from them we have compiled the following answers, believing them to be descriptive of ~~the~~ our presen state, & are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham our representatives

The Committee appointed to visit Jane Hazard on account of her request to be admitted into membership with friend report that divers of them have had several opportunities with her & are satisfyed to recommend her as being in a suitable frame of mind to be accepted, which with the unity of our men friends she is accordingly admitted into membership with friends Elizabeth Peckham is appointed to inform her thereoff. The Committee also inform,d that she had withdrawn ~~he~~ the request that was made for her two daughters Laura & Alice J. F. Hazard

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held in So. Kingston 22d of 8th mo 1831 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary A Robinson Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Rathbun Sarah Foster & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one, who we are inform,d was prevented by indisposition This Meet,g is informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meet,g attended the other was prevented by sickness

The friend appointed to inform Jane Hazard of her being admitted into Membership with friend, informed she had attended thereto

The Committee appointed to select some friends for Clerk & assistant informed that they propose Lydia Wilbur Jun for Clerk & Abigail R. Collins for assistant, with which this Meeting cordially unite & they are accordingly appointed for the year ensuing

Clarinda Bradly daughter of Joshua Bradly informed this Meeting that it was her wish for friends to dismiss her from our Society after takeing the subject into consideration she being a minor think best to appoint a Committee to confer with her father on the subject Mary A Collins & Lydia Wilbur are appointed to take an opportunity with him on the subject & & report at next meeting

This Meeting takeing into view the appointment of a Committee to collect memorials of the living services & dying sayings, of Ministers Elders & others faithful friends whose lives have been remarkable for piety & virtue are of the opinion that such a Committee would be useful to Society at large; we therefore appoint Mary A Collins Mary A Robinson Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Peckham & Mercy Dockray to that service for the year ensuing

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 9 mo 22nd 1831 Preparative accounts being present, the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Ann Brown Lydia Collins Ruth Kenyon Elizabeth Hoxsie Phebe Foster Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham, whose names being called are present except three two of whom rendered a satisfactory reason for their absence.

The committee appointed to confer with Joshua Bradly respecting his daughter, not being ready to report, it is desired under their care.—

Richmond preparative meeting informs that Mary Knowles wife of Benjamin, requests to be admited into membership with us Mary A. Collins & Elizabeth Peckham are appointed to have an opportunity with her, & report to next meeting, her suitableness to become a member of our society.— Received & read at this time the report of the Y. M. Boarding School committee which gives this meeting liberty to send schollars the same as last year. Lydia Collins Eunice Foster Ann Brown & Hannah Knowles are appointed to join our men friends in selecting such children as they may think most proper, also to take the necessary care respecting others who are desireous of being placed there, during the ensuing year.— Read at this time the London Epistle containing much excellent counsel.— Lydia Wilbur [illegible]

At South Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 10 mo 24th 1831, preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockray, Hannah Carpenter Mary A Collins Lydia Collins, Hannah Knowles Amy Sheffield Jane Hazard & Hannah A Babcock, who being called are present except three, who rendered a satisfactory reason for their absence.—

The Queries with the answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read in this session from them we have selected those that answer to [illegible] mize

the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the accou
to the ensuing Quarter by Lydia Collins and Eunice Foster our representativ
The committee appointed to confer with Joshua Bradly respecting his
daughter, report that they have had an opportunity with them both, and find tha
she has deviated from friends rules by uniting herself to another society - this
meeting after considering the subject, think best to disown her a right of mem
bership, having the unity of the men friends therein ;— The committee appoint
to visit Mary Knowles, on her request to be admited into membership with
Friends — report that they have attended there to, believe her to be sincere in he
request, & believer in our principles, and as far as they could discover in a
suitable frame of mind to be admited into membership with us, which
claiming the consideration of this meeting is united with, she is accordingly
received as a member of our society, having the unity of the men friends
therein; Hannah Knowles is appointed to inform her thereof. Lydia Wilbur Cl

At S^o Kingston m^o meeting of women friends, held at Hopkinton 11 m^o 21^st 1831, preparative accounts being present, the representatives therein named are Mary Nichols, Hannah Hazard Elizabeth Foster Ruth Kenyon Sarah Sheffield Sarah Knowles Elizabeth Browning and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except two, one of whom rendered a reasonable excuse for her absence

The friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting informed they had fulfiled their appointment. The friend appointed to inform Mary Knowles of her being admited into membership with us, has attended thereto

South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Ruth H. Babcock has connected herself in marriage with one not a member of our society, we appoint Eunice Foster & Lydia Collins to take an opportunity with her ~~&~~ ~~report~~ on that account and report to next meeting.-

Received at this time transcripts of Epistles from distant Yearly meetings and those from London, Philadelphia, Baltimore & Virginia have been read we trust to edification.

Lydia Wilbur jun Clk

At S^o Kingston m^o meeting of women friends held at Richmond 12 m^o 26^th 1831, preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown, Hannah Williams Mary A Collins Lydia Collins Eunice Foster Elizabeth Peckham

Hannah Knowles & Mary Knowles, whose names being called are present except two. — The committee appointed to visit Ruth H. Babcock not having attended there to, it is deferred under their care. — Read at this time transcripts of Epistles from Ohio & New York, to satisfaction

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

At S. K. Kingston mo. meeting of women friends held at Richmond 1 mo 23rd 1832, preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are, Mary A Robinson Hannah Carpenter Lydia Wilbur Eliza Foster Elizabeth Rathbone Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Peckham & Rebecca Segar, whose names being called are present except three, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered, — The queries with answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read in this, from them we have selected the following, believing they are descriptive of the present state of society, and are to forward them with the account to the ensueing Quarter by our representatives Mary A Collins & Elizabeth Peckham. — The friends appointed in case of Ruth H. Harly (late Babcock) report that they have attended thereto, & she appears tender & sensible of her transgression (which she manifested by sending an acknowledgement to this meeting) and wishes friends to overlook it, which in their opinion might be well. — This meeting after solidly considering the subject, think proper to defer the decision of it untill next meeting. — The subject of the overseers meeting as formerly, coming before this meeting, it is thought best that they resume them.

Read at this time an extract of an Epistle from North Carolina.

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

At S. K. Kingston mo. meeting of women friends held at Richmond 2 mo 20th 1832. preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockray Mary A Robinson Mary Ann Foster Lydia Collins Hannah Knowles Sarah Knowles Dorcas Babcock and Ruth Anne Foster whose names being called, but two present, three of whom rendered a reasonable excuse for their absence. Are informed that the representatives to Quarterly meeting attended agreeable to appointment

The business respecting Ruth H. Harly is again defered

Lydia Wilbur jun Clk

At South Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 26th of 3 mo 1832. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mary A Robinson Mary A Collins Martha Collins Elizabeth Rathbone Elizabeth Browning & Hannah M Babcock whose names being called are all present

The subject of Ruth Harley (late Babcock) coming before this meeting and being reconsidered it is the judgement of this meeting that its best to pass by her said transgression she manifesting a disposition to condemn the same, she is therefore continued a member, men friends concurring therein, Ann Brown is appointed to inform her of the decision of this meeting.

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

At South Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 23rd of 4 mo 1832, Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary A Robinson Lydia Collins Mary A Collins Hannah Knowles Sarah Greene & Eunice Foster, whose names being called, are present. —— The queries have been read in this meeting and answers thereto from the several preparative meetings, from them we have selected those that appear to comprise the present state of this meeting, and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarterly meeting by Eunice Foster ~~and~~ Mary A Robinson & Mary A Collins, our representatives

This meeting is informed that Eunice Foster is proposed to the station of an elder, with which this meeting unites & are to forward it to the ensuing Quarterly meeting for its approbation and concurrence, having the unity of our men friends therein. — This meeting is informed that Ann Brown has attended to her appointment in informing Ruth H Harley of her reinstatement in society

This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual

The committee on memorials presented one concerning Dorcas Peckham widow of [illegible], which have been read, is approved by both meetings, and to be sent to the ensuing Quarter by our representatives

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

At a mo. meeting of women friends held at Western [illegible] of 5 mo 1832 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mary A Robinson Mary A Collins Eliza Foster Sarah H Knowles

Lois Pery Elizabeth Watson whose names being called are present; two of our representatives to Quarterly meeting informed they attended. the other was prevented by sickn her family. — It being the usual time for the appointment of Overseers the representatives have proposed Mary A Robinson Ann Brown Lydia Wilbur Lydia Collins Eunice Foster Elizabeth Watson Hannah Knowles & Phebe Foster to that station for the year ensuing, mens meeting concuring therein.

We are informed through the mens meeting that Benjamin Knowles and wife with their son requests a certificate of removal to Greenwich mo meeting; we appoint Eunice Foster & Amy Sheffield to join the mens committee preparing one for them and present to next meeting

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 21st of 6 mo 1832. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Ann Brown Thankful Collins Lydia Collins Hannah Knowles Amy Sheffield Jane Hazard & Lois Pery whose names being called are present except one who sent a reasonable excuse for her absence. — The committee appointed have produced a certificate for Benjamin Knowles wife & son which is approved by both meetings.

Received a Certificate from Greenwich mo meeting in favour of Isaac Collins jun & wife with their son George Kitty which has been read and is accepted

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 7 mo 23rd 1832. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Judith Peckham Ann Brown Ruth Kenyon Eliza Foster Hannah Knowles Amy Sheffield Jane Hazard & Hannah Babcock, whose names being called are present except one, who rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. — The Queries with answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read in this, from them we have selected the following believing they are descriptive of the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by our representatives Elizabeth Peckham Martha Collins & Mary Dockray.

Richmond Preparative meeting informs that Julia Bignell has conducted in a reproachful manner, to the hurt of society; we appoint Lois Pery Mary A Robinson & Sarah Congdon to visit her, and enquire into the cause of the reports that are circulating in regard to her conduct, and report to next meeting.

This meeting is informed that the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them.

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

8 mo.

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at So Kn 8 mo 27th 1832, Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockray Mercy Dockray Mary A Collins Lydia Collins Sarah Knowles Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham, whose names being called, are present except three, one of these rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. — South Kingston preparative informs that Francis H Rathbone & Susan W Brown propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this meeting, they accordingly appeared and expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage, we appoint Eunice Foster & Lois Perry to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage, and make report to a future meeting

The committee appointed on the complaint against Julia Bignell not being ready to report is defered under their care

Two of the representatives to Quarterly meeting informed they were prevented by indisposition. — Received at this time, & read extracts of our last Y. Meeting's minutes containing much pertinent counsel & encouragement to many minds

Received at this time a certificate from Greenwich mo meeting in favour of Thankful Kinyon (widow of Peleg) and her family which is as follows

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting

Dear friends

Thankful Kenyon (widow of the late Peleg Kenyon) having removed within your limits, request our certificate for herself and children viz, Eunice Ann Isaac C Solomon, Mary Caroline Catharine, Peleg, Lucia, Charles, Eliza & Elvira. — These are to certify on their behalf that they are members of our religious society, and, on enquiry nothing appears, but that her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction; and as such we recommend them to your Christian care and oversight; and are your friends.

Signed on behalf & by direction of Greenwich Monthly meeting held at East Greenwich 6 mo 4th 1832

By William Reynolds
Lois Anthony } Clerks

Thankful Kenyon &c certificate

Received & read at this time the report of the Y. M. B. School Committee which was satisfactory, and further stated that it was most consistant for them to propose that each mo meeting may avail themselves of the privelidge of sending one child six months in a year only, we appoint Lydia Collins Eunice Foster Hannah Knowles and Ann Brown to join our men friends in selecting such children as they may think most proper, also to take the necessary care respecting those who are desirous of being placed there during the ensuing year

E. Peckham Clerk for the day

9mo At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9mo 24th 1832 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary A Robinson Ann Brow Lydia Wilbur Susanna Cole Phebe Foster Hannah Knowles Jane Hazard & Hannah Babcock whose names being called are present except two for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered.

The committee appointed to inquire into Susan W Brown clearness, with regard to marriage inform that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding in marriage with, Frances H Rathbone, they having consent of parents are at liberty to proceed in marriage, we appoint Amy Knowles and Elizabeth Peckham to attend the solemnization thereof and report to next meeting

The committee on the case of Julia Bignell report that they have visited her, and made many enquiries of her, and divers of her neighbours respecting some unpleasant reports which are circulating about her, they are unable to collect any proof of these charges, this meeting after considering the subject, think proper to defer it under the care of the same committe. The appointment of a clerk coming before this meeting it is defered untill next month.

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

10mo At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 10mo 22nd 1832— Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Mary A Robinson Ruth Kenyon Eliza Foster Hannah Knowles Mary Knowles Eunice Foster and Elizabe Peckham, whose names being called are present except one, who sent a reasonable excuse for her absence.— — The queries with answers to those usually attended to at this time, have been read; and such selected as appeared to comprize the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by Lydia Wilbur and Martha Collins our representatives

The friends appointed to have the oversite of the marriage of Frances H Rath & Susan Wm Brown report that it was accomplished in an orderly manner

The matter respecting Julia Bignell being again revived in this meeting and as we are ~~again~~ unable to collect any proof of the unpleasant reports that are circulating respecting her, we think best to dismiss it for the present.

South Kingston preparative informs that Mary D Brown has joined in membership with the Presbyterian society, and the Overseers have previously confered with her on the subject, but had not the desired effect this meeting therefore concludes to disown her a rite of membership, having the concurrence of men friends, Mary A Robinson is appointed to inform here thereof.

South Kingston preparative also informs that Susan W Rathbune requests a removal Certificate to uxbridge monthly meeting, we appoint Elizabeth Peckham & Mary A Robinson, to make the necessary enquiry and if they find nothing to obstruct to present one to next meeting, — This meeting is informed that the overseers met as usual. —, The appointment of a Clerk coming again before this meeting, the former one is reapointed for the year ensuing.

The men friends inform that John W Knowles and family have removed, some time past to Bridgwater monthly meeting in the State of N. Yor and are about to prepare a certificate for them, we appoint Hannah Knowles Ann Brown & Hannah Carpenter to join the men friends in preparing one if nothing appears to obstruct

Lydia Wilbur Jr Clerk

11 At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11mo 26th 1832 — Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Sarah Knowles Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Watson, whose names being called are present. — The friend appointed to inform Mary D Brown of her being dismissed from society has attended thereto.

The friends appointed have produced a certificate for Susan W Rathbune which being read is approved by both meetings, and the clerk is directed to record and forward the same. —— The committee appointed to prepare a Certificate for John W Knowles & family are not ready to report it is therefore defered under their care. The representatives to Quartely meeting attended agreable to appointment

Susan W Rathbun Certificate

To Uxbridge Mo Meeting

Dear friends

Susan W Rathbun having removed to reside with her husband, within the limits of your mo, meeting, she is a member & frequent attender of our meetings, as such we recommend her to your sisterly care and attention. and are your friends

Signed on behalf of our monthly meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11mo 26th 1832- By Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

12mo

At So, Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 12mo 24th 1832.- preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary A Robinson Mary Dockwray Mary A Collins Ruth Kenyon Elizabeth Rathbun, Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Peckham & Sarah Foster whose names being called are present.— The Clerk informed that she had attended to her appointment in forwarding Susan W Rathbun certificate

Read at this time transcripts of Epistles from Baltimore, North Carolina, Virginia and New York, which were acceptable and edifying.— The committee to prepare a certificate for John W, Knowles and family are not ready to report it is therefore again deferred under their care.

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

1 mo 1833

At So, Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 1 mo 28th 1833. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown, Mary A Robinson, Lydia Wilbur, Mary A Collins Phebe Foster Sarah Knowles Lois Perry & Eunice Foster, whose names being called are present.

The queries with answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read in this, and from them we have selected those that appear to comprise the present state of this meeting, and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by Lydia Wilbur & Lois Perry our representatives

Transcripts of Epistles from Philadelphia and London have been read at this time which were instructive and satisfactory.— This meeting is informed that the Overseers met as usual

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

2nd

At So. Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 2mo 25th 1833. Preparative accounts being present, the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockwray Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur jun

Bathsheba Ray, Elizabeth Rathbun Hannah Knowles Hannah
Babcock Eunice Foster, whose names being called are present

This meeting is informed that the friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting attended. — Read at this time Extracts of Epistles from Indianna and Ohio, which were satisfactory

L. Wilbur jun Clk

3mo

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 3mo 25th 1833, preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockray Mary A Robinson Elizabeth Foster Lydia Wilbur jun Mary Knowles Elizabeth Peckham Rebecca Segar whose names being called are present except three, two we are informed was prevented by indisposition

E. Peckham Clerk for the day

4mo At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Weston 4mo 22 1833. — Preparatives accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mary A Robinson Lydia Collins Ruth Kinyon Elizabeth Rathbun Hannah Knowles Amy Knowles & Rebecca Segar whose names being called are present. — The Queries succeeded by answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read in this, from them we have selected those that appear to comprise the state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by Amy Knowles & Lydia Collins our representatives

One of the overseers informed that they met as usual, and considered such business as came before them

Lydia Wilbur jun Clk

4th At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 5mo 27th 1833. — Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Ann Brown Mary A Collins Bathsheba Ray Phebe Foster Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Browning whose names being called are present except two, one of whom rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. — This meeting is informed that the representatives attended Quarterly meeting agreeable to appointment. — The appointment of Overseers ~~com~~ for society coming before this meeting, Mary A Robinson Ann Brown Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Lydia Collins Hannah Knowles Phebe Foster Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Wilson are appointed to that service for the ensuing year, men friends concurring therein. — The time also having expired in which the friends were appointed to inspect & assist those who may stand in need of advice or assistance, we therefore appoint Eunice Foster Mary

A Robinson Phebe Foster and Martha Collins to that service

L. W. Clerk

6mo At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 6 mo 24th 1833. Preparative accounts being present the representatives there in named are Sarah Congdon Mary A Robinson, Mary A Collins, Mary Ann Foster, Phebe Foster, Elizabeth Rathbun Jane Hazard & Elizabeth Watson whose names being called are present.

Received & read at this time the report of the boarding School Committee, which is acceptable and gives information that the Mo. Meeting has the privilege of sending one schollar as last year, Mary A Collins Ann Brown Amy Knowles Elizabeth Rathbun are appointed to join our men friends in selecting such as they shall think proper, also to take the necessary care respecting others who are desirous of being placed at the institution

Lydia Wilbur jr Clerk

7mo At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 7 mo 22nd 1833 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockwray Hannah Hazard, Lydia Wilbur jun, Susan C. Wilbur, Phebe Foster Lois Pery & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was offered

The queries with answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read, & such selected as appear to comprise the state of this this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by Mary A Robinson and Susan C Wilbur our representatives.

This meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met as usual

L. W. Clerk

8mo At So Kingston mo. meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 8 mo 26th 1833. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary A Robins Hannah Carpenter Deborah Collins Elizabeth Foster Elizabeth Rathbun Sarah Knowles Elizabeth Watson & Amy Knowles, whose names being called are present except two.—

One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposition. Western preparative meeting informs that Susan Knowles requests a removal certificate to Greenwich Monthly Meeting Elizabeth Peckham & Eunice Foster are appointed to make the necessary enquiry & if they find nothing to ~~prevent~~ obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting.—

Received and read at this time Extracts from the minutes of our last Yearly meeting which were interesting, and instructive.

Received an extract from our last yearly meeting, recommending that each monthly meeting establish libraries of the standard works of our society, also establish schools wherever friends circumstances will allow, we therefore appoint Elizabeth Peckham Lydia Wilbur and Lois Pery to join our men friends in taking the necessary care. —

Received a returning Certificate in favour of John Wilbur, from the Yearly Meeting of ministers and elders for Ireland held in Dublin on the 27th of 4 mo & 4th of 5 mo 1833. expressive of their unity with him in his labours in that land which is as follows

Returning Certificate in favour of John Wilbur

Our dear friend John Wilbur, to whom you granted a Certificate, having within the past year, paid a religious visit to most of the meetings of friends in this land and also held a few meetings with those not in profession with us. We certify that his company and Gospel labours were truly acceptable, and his ministry sound & edifying bearing evidence of the source from whence it sprung.

We trust by this time he has been restored to his family and friends, and we desire that in the retrospect of his labours and exercises, he may be favoured with the enriching reward of peace

James Forbes Clk

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9 mo 23, 1833. Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Hazard Mercy Dockwray Lydia Wilbur Mary A Collins Phebe Foster Mary Knowles Elizabeth Watson & Elizabeth Peckham, whose names being called are present.

The friends appointed, have produced a certificate for Susanna Knowles, which being read is approved by both meetings, and the clerk is directed to record and forward the same

The appointment of a clerk and assistant coming before this meeting Lydia Wilbur jun is appointed clerk and Ann Perry assistant for the ensuing year.

To Greenwich Monthly meeting

Dear Friends

Susannah Knowles daughter of Wm & Avis Knowles having removed to live within the limits of your meeting requests our certificate, these are to certify on her behalf that she is a member of this meeting & so far as appears of orderly life and conversation a pretty dilligent attender of meetings, and on enquiry it appears that her temporal concerns are settled to satisfaction also clear of marriage engagements among us; we recommend her to your care and are your friends

Signed in behalf of South Kingston Mo Meeting held 9mo 23rd 1833

By
Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk
Timothy C Collins Clerk for the day

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that George Shove and Mary Ann Foster propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this meeting, they accordingly appeared and expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage Susanna Cole & Lydia Wilbur are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage engagements and report to next meeting L. W.

At South Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 10mo 28th 1833, preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mary A Robinson Susanna Cole Ruth Kinyon Elizabeth Rathbun Hannah Knowles Amy Knowles Sarah Foster, whose names being called are present except one — The queries with answers from each of our respective meetings have been read & such selected as appears to comprise the state of this meeting, and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by Amy Knowles Elizabeth Peckham & Lydia Wilbur jun our representatives, the clerk informed this meeting that she had forwarded the Certificate under her care.

The committee appointed to enquire into Mary Ann Fosters clearness with regard to marriage inform that nothing appears to obstruct her proceeding in marriage with George Shove; they having consent of Parents are at liberty to proceed in marriage, Lydia Wilbur and Ruth Kinyon are appointed to attend the solemnization thereof and report to next meeting. — The committee appointed to take into consideration the establishment of a Library &c, report that they think it would be very beneficial, & recommend that this meeting appoint a committee for the obtaining of subscriptions, Eunice Foster Elizabeth Peckham, Lydia Wilbur, Elizabeth Rathbun & Ann Brown are appointed for that purpose — This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

At So Kingston Mo. meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11mo 25th 1833. — Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Abby Wilbur, Mary A Collins, Elizabeth Browning Eunice Foster, Hannah Knowles

Phebe Foster whose names being called, but three present
This meeting is informed that two of the representatives appointed to
attend the Quarterly meeting attended. — The committee appointed
to attend the marriage of George Shove & Mary Ann Foster report that it
was orderly conducted, An Epistle from Virginia yearly meeting has been
at this time to satisfaction.

Phebe Foster Clerk for the day

12mo At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends
held at Richmond 12mo 23rd 1833, Preparative accounts being
present except one, the representatives named therein are Mary A Collins,
Lydia Wilbur, Hannah Knowles, Phebe Foster Eunice Foster, &
Elizabeth Browning, all present except two, — read at this time an
Epistle from Philadelphia yearly meeting, the contents of which was
instructive

Phebe Foster Clerk for the day

1st At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends
held at Richmond 1mo 27th 1834, — Preparative accounts being
present except one, representatives from the several preparatives are as
follows Elizabeth Foster Susan C Wilbur Hannah Knowles Sarah
Knowles Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham, whose names being called
are present. — The queries with the answers from each of our preparative
meetings, except one, have been received & read at this time & those selected
that appeared to comprise the present state of this meeting and are to
forward them to the ensuing Quarter by our representatives Eunice Foster &
Elizabeth Peckham, — This meeting is informed that a small part of
the overseers met as usual. — Read at this time the New York
Epistle containing much excellent counsel & instruction;

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

2nd At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at
Richmond 2nd 24th 1834, — Preparative accounts being present
the representatives therein named are Mary A Robinson, Ann Brown
Lydia Wilbur, Mary A Collins, Elizabeth Rathbun, Sarah Knowles,
Eunice Foster & Amy Knowles, all present except three,
Representatives to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform they attended.
Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Ann Sheffield
requests a removal Certificate to Smithfield mo. Meeting whereupon
we appoint Bathsheba Ray & Mary A Collins to make the necessary
inquiry and if they find nothing to hinder to prepare one and present it to
next meeting. — Received at this time a removal Certificate in favour
of Asa Tefson & Dinah C. his wife with their daughter Sarah Lewis,
Read at this time an Epistle from Indiana which contained much counsel & advice.

Hannah Knowles Clerk for the day

3 At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at Western 3 mo 24th 1834.— Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary A Robinson, Ann Brown Elizabeth Foster Susan C. Wilbur, Sarah Knowles Mary Knowles Jane Hazard & Elizabeth Wilson whose names being called are present

The committee appointed have produced a Certificate in favour of Ann Sheffield, which is approved by both meetings and is as follows Susan C Wilbur is appointed to forward the same

Read at this time Baltimore, Ohio, & Indiana Epistles, containing much excellent counsel & advice

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

4 At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at Western 4 mo 21st 1834.— Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockeray, Ann Brown, Lydia Wilbur, Abby Wilbur, Elizabeth Rathbun, Hannah Knowles, Amy Knowles & Dorcas Babcock whose names being called are present except two, for whose absence a reasonable excuse was rendered.

The queries with answers from each of our respective meetings have been read at this time, and those selected that appear to comprise the present state of this meeting, and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by Dorcas Babcock Mary A. Robinson & Hannah Knowles our representatives.— This meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met as usual, also that Susan C. Wilbur had forwarded the Certificate under her care.— Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Mary Ann Shove (wife of George) requests ~~our~~ a removal Certificate to Greenwich Mo. Meeting, Lydia Wilbur jun & Martha Collins are appointed to make the necessary enquiry and if they find nothing to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting.— Hopkinton preparative also informs that Phebe C Ray has transgressed our rules by uniting herself in marriage with one not a member of society Eunice Foster, Elizabeth Rathbun & Hannah Knowles are appointed to have an opportunity with her on the account and report to next meeting

The Clerk informed this meeting that she expected to be absent for some time and desired that some other friend might be appointed to serve the meeting, Elizabeth Peckham & Hannah Babcock are appointed to bring forward some friends name, for that service, at a future meeting.

Lydia Wilbur jun Clerk

To Smithfield Monthly Meeting

Ann Sheffield Certificate

Ann Sheffield having removed to reside within the limits of your meeting request our certificate. — These are to inform that she is a member of South Kingston Mo. Meeting and on enquiry being made it appears she has settled her temporal concerns to satisfaction; is clear of marriage engagements, & of an orderly life & conversation while with us. We recommend her to your care & remain your friends.

Signed in & by direction of South Kingston M. Meeting
held 3 mo. 24th 1834 by

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day
William A. Robinson Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Western 5th mo 25th 1834 — preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary A Collins Hannah Carpenter Dinah C Sisson Susan C Wilbur Hannah Knowles Phebe Foster Elizabeth Browning & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered —

one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informed, attended the other two were prevented by sickness — The committee have produced a certificate for Mary Ann Shove to Greenwich Mo Meeting, which has been read in this & mens meeting is united with & is as follows, the clerk is directed to record & forward the same

To Greenwich Mo. Meeting

Mary Ann Shove Certificate

Dear Friends

Mary Ann Shove (wife of George) having removed to reside with her husband within the limits of your of your meeting, requests our certificate, these are to certify on her behalf that she is a member of this meeting, & of an orderly life & conversation; diligent in attendence of meetings as such we recommend her to your care & are your friends

Signed on behalf of South Kingston Mo Meeting
held 5th Mo 25th 1834

By
Elizabeth Peckham clerk for the day
William A Robinson Clerk

The committee appointed to have an opportunity with Phebe Kay on account of transgressing our rules, informed they had not attended thereto it is therefor refered under their care. The committee appointed to bring forward a name for Clerk have proposed Susan C Wilbur for the ensuing year & being fully united with by this meeting she is accordingly appointed to that service

Richmond preparative meeting informs that Julia Bicknell has conducted in a very improper & unchaste manner this meeting after considering the subject, conclude it best for the honor of truth to disown her the right of membership untill she shall return and make friends satisfaction men friends uniting with us therein, Hannah Knowles is appointed to inform her thereof. This being the usual time for the appointment of Overseers, the representatives from the several preparative meetings have proposed Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Mary A Robinson Ann Brown Sarah Congdon Phebe Foster Hannah Knowles Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Watson to that station for the year ensuing mens meeting concurring therein. A concern having originated among our men friends that the appointment of a committee to visit the families of friends might be usefully engaged in stiring up the minds of the carelefs & lukewarm profefsors among us, & of encourageing those whose hands may indeed hang down with weeknefs, to a firm reliance on the immutable rock of ages, we accordingly appoint, Amy Knowles Elizabeth Peckham Eunice Foster & Dorcas Babcock to join our men friends therein

Elizabeth Peckham Clk
for the day

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 6th mo 23rd 1834 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are, Mary Ann Collins Mary A Robinson Ruth Kenyon Elizabeth Foster Amy Knowles & Dorcas Babcock whose names being called are all present

The Clerk informed this meeting she had forwarded the Certificate under her care The committee appointed to have an opportunity with Phebe C Kay on account of transgressing our rules inform they have not attended to their appointment it is therefor refered under their care — the friend appointed to inform Julia Bicknell of her disownment has not attended to her appointment it is therefor refered under her care

This meeting have thought best to have an addition to the committee appointed appointed last month to visit the families of friends in this Monthly Meeting we therefor appoint Ann Brown & Mary A. Robinson to join them therein. We have had the company of our esteemed friend Hannah C Backhouse at this time whose gospel labours have been acceptable to us.

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at So, Kingston 7th mo 28th 1834 preparatives accounts being present the representatives therein named are Dinah C Sisson Deborah Collins Ruth H Hazard Ann Brown Hannah Knowles Phebe Foster Elizabeth Watson & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except one we are informed that sickness prevented. The queries with the answers usually answered from each of our preparative meetings have been recieved & read in this & those selected that appeard most suitable to inform the present state of this meeting which we are to forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Deborah Collins & Sarah Congdon whome we appoint representatives— The committee appointed to visit Phebe Ray on account of her transgression, informed they had not attended thereto it is referred under their care, The friend appointed to inform Julia Bicknell of her disownment informed she had attended thereto this meeting is informed that part of the overseers met and considered such business as came befor them

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the Day

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 8th mo 25th 1834 preparatives accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockray Mary A Robinson Ruth Kenyon Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Elizabeth Browning & Dorcas Babcock whose names being called ~~are~~ present except one. The friends appointed to visit Phebe C Thurber formerly Ray on account of her transgression report that they have ~~attended~~ had an opportunity with her that she does not condemn her transgression nor appear to be of a disposition to make satisfaction, this meeting after due consideration of the subject think best to deny her the right of membership until she shall return & make friends satisfaction men friends concurring therein Lydia Wilbur is appointed to inform her thereof

This meeting is informed that one of the representatives to Q. Meeting attended the other was prevented by sickness. The Committee on memorials presented one at this time on behalf of our beloved friend Susan Collins daughter of John & Sarah Collins of Hopkinton deceased which has been read in both meetings & is returned to the committee for a little alteration

Received at this time extracts of of our last Yearly Meetings minutes, also Epistles from the different Y. Meetings, two of which were read at this time; also a report of the Boarding School Committee which is agreeable to this meeting we appoint Elizabeth Peckham Mary A Robinson Dinah Sisson & Phebe Foster to take the necessary care respecting the Clothing of Children that may be sent to that institution. There has been extracts of our last Yearly meetings minutes with queries annexed relative to the promotion of a guarded & religious education of the youth of our society which are to be forwarded to each of our preparative meetings with a request that suitable attention be paid to its contents

the day
Elizabeth Peckham Clk for

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 9th mo 1834 the preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Eliza Foster Abby Wilbur Hannah Hazard Mary A Robinson Phebe Foster Sarah Knowles Elizabeth Browning & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present. The friend appointed to inform Phebe Thurber of her disownment reports she has not attended to her appointment it is referred under her care

Richmond preparative meeting informs that Hannah Chappel requests to become a member of our society this meeting appoints Lydia Wilbur, & Eunice Foster to take an opportunity with her on the account & report to our next meeting; read at this time an Epistle from Newyork Yearly meeting to satisfaction

Phebe Foster Clerk for the day

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 10 mo 27th 1834 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ann Brown Mary A Robinson Ruth Kenyon Dinah C Sisson Elizabeth Rathbun Phebe Foster Elizabeth Peckham and Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except two one of whome rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence

The quiries from each of our preparatives meetings with answers to those usually attended to at this time have been read & such selected as we think compr the present state of this meeting & are to forward them with the accoun to the ensuing Quarter by Lydia Wilbur & Eunice Foster our representatives. Western preparative meeting informs that Eliza Green requests to be taken under the care of friends, this meeting appoints Elizabeth Peckham & Eunice Foster to take an opportunity with her ~~an~~ on the account & report to next meeting. The friend appointed to inform Phebe C Thurber of her disownment informs she has attended to her appointment The Committee appointed to visit Hannah Chappel on account of her of her request to be admited into scociety report that they have had an opportunity with her & think favorable of her being received, this after due consideration on the subject, have thought proper to receive her, she is therefor a member of our scociety men friends concuring therein Phebe Foster is appointed to inform her of the same This is informed that part of the overseers met & considerd such busineſs as came befor them.

At So Kingston mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11 mo 24th 1834 preaiative accounts being present present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mercy Dockwray Mary Collins Abby Wilbur Phebe Foster Elizabeth Peckha & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except two one of whome rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. The committee appointed to visit Eliza Green on her request to be admitted into membership with friends report that they have had a satisfactory opportunity with her, & think well of her request being granted, this meeting after a season of deliberation on the subject have thought proper to receive her into membership with us men friends concuring therein Elizabeth Peckham is appointed to inform her of the same. The friend appointed to inform Hannah Chappel of her being received into membership reported that she had attended thereto

The friends appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting attended. Read at this time extracts of Epistles from London, Baltimore, Ohio, North Carolina and Indian which were acceptable & satisfactory

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Richmon 12 mo 19th 1834 preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are [illegible] Collins Deborah Collins Mary A Robinson Eliz

Elizabeth Hoxsie Hannah Knowles Dorcas Babcock & Eunice Foster whose names
being called are present except two one of whome rendered a satisfactory reason
for her absence the friend appointed appointed to inform Eliza Green of her
reception into membership reports that she has attended thereto So Kingston prepara
tive meeting informs that Mary H Carpenter has united in marriage with one
not a member of our Society although previously labored with on that account
we appoint Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham to visit her on the account
& report to next meeting.

At S. Kingston ~~mo~~ Meeting of women friends held
at Richmond 1st mo 26th 1835 preparatives accounts being present the
representatives therein named are Mercy Dockway Hannah Hazard Mary
Collins Lydia Wilbur Amy Knowles Dorcas Babcock Hannah Knowles &
Elizabeth Hoxsie whose names being called are present except two one of whome
rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence, the queries with answers
from each of our preparative meetings have been read at this time
& those selected which appear to comprise the present state of this meeting
and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarterly Lydia
Wilbur & Eunice Foster our representatives the overseers inform they met at
Phebe Foster Clk for the day
the usual time

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held a
Richmond 23 of 2nd Mo 1835 Preparatives accounts being present except
one the representatives therein named are Rachel Collins Thankful
Collins Mercy Dockway Hannah Hazard Lois Perry & Elizabeth Browning
whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a
satisfactory reason was given, the representatives to Quarterly Meeting
inform they attended agreeable to appointment, The committee appoin
ted to visit Mary H Whitford formerly Carpenter on account of her joini
ng in marriag with one not a member of our Society report that they
have had an opportunity with her on that account an laboured in the
ability afforded, she not appearing in a suitable frame of mind to
make friends satisfaction, We therefor disown her the right of membersh
ip untill she shall return & make friends satisfaction mens meeting
concuring therein, The Comittee appointed to visit the families some time past
of this ~~mo~~ Meeting report that they have accomplished the same
Received & read at this time the London general printed Epistle of 1834
containing much excellent council

containing much excellent 457

At So Kingston mo Meeting of Women friends held at western 3 mo 23 1835 preparatives accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Mary A Collins Susan C Wilbur Hannah Knowles Rebe Segar & Elizabeth Browning whose names being called are present except Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Martha Collins has dishonourd the truth & transgressed our profession of its peacible influence by contention & unfounded accusations of divers of her friends & relations also by reproaching the committee of the mo Meeting which were attending to the duties of its appointment in visiting the families of friends whereupon this meeting appoints Lois Perry Dorcas Babcock & Eunice Foster to visit her on said account & report to next meeting

Richmond preparative meeting informs that Elizabeth Hoxsie requests a removal certificat for herself & family to Bridgwater mo meeting this meeting appoints Elizabeth Foster & Susan C Wilbur to join our men friends and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one & present to next meeting

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston mo Meeting of women friends held at Western 4 mo 27th 1835 two of the preparatives accounts being present the representatives therein named are Ruth Kenyon Lydia Wilbur Jr Elizabeth Watson & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present

The queries with answers from two of our preparative meetings have been read at this time & those selected which appear to comprise the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarter by Elizabeth Peckham & Lydia Wilbur Jr our our representatives. The committee appointed to visit Martha Collins not being ready to report it is defered under their care Received a certificate in favor of Elizabeth Hoxsie & Children which is approved by this & mens meeting and signed, the Clerk is directed to forward Mary H Whitford a copy of her denial. this meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual and considered such business as came before them

S C W Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 5 mo 25th 1835 preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary Dockwray Dorcas B Robinson Mary A Collins Mary Collins Elizabeth Rathbun Rebecca Seager and Amy Knowles whose names being called are present except two one of whome rendered

a satisfactory reason for her absence one of the representatives to quarterly
meeting informs they attended agreeable to appointment. The committee in case of
Martha Collins not being ready to report it is defered under their care.
The Clerk informed this meeting she had forwarded Mary H. Whitford a
copy of her denial. Our men friends inform that John Knowles requests
a removal certificate for himself & family to Greenwich mo Meeting, this
meeting appoints Susan C Wilbur & Eunice Foster to join our men friends and if
nothing appears to obstruct, to prepare one and present to next meeting
This being the usual time for the appointment of overseers the represen
tatives from the several preparative meeting have proposed Mary A Robin
son Hannah Carpenter Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Eunice Foster Elizabeth
Watson Phebe Foster & Elizabeth Rathbun which being united with in this
& mens meeting they are accordingly appointed to that station for the ensuing
year The appointment of clerk and assistant coming befor this meeting Susa
n C Wilbur is appointed clerk and Ann Pery assistant for the ensuing year

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

South Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at South Kingston
22nd 6 mo 1835 preparative accounts being present the representatives
therein named are Mercy Dockray Ruth H Hazard Deborah Collins Ruth
Kenyon Phebe Foster Amy Sheffield Lois Pery & Eliza Green whose
names being called are present except one who forwarded a resonable
excuse for her absence, the committee appointed to visit Martha Collins
not being not being ready to report it is defered under their care
The committee appointed to prepare a certificate for John Knowles &
family not having produced one it is defered under their care

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

South Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston
7th mo 27 1835 preparative accounts being present except one the representa
tives therein named are Ruth H Hazard Hannah Hazard Susan C Wilbur
Mary A Collins Eunice Foster & Dorcas Babcock whose names being called
are present The queries with answers usually answered except one ~~at this time except~~
have been read and those selected which appear to comprise the present
state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the
ensuing quarter by Elizabeth Peckham & Amy Knowles our representa
tives. The business respecting Martha Collins is defered under the care of the
me committee the committee appointed to prepare a certificate for John Knowles

and family, not having produced one it is defered under their care

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

South Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 8 mo 24th 1835 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Mary A Robinson Hannah Carpenter Deborah Collins Ruth Kenyon Elizabeth Peckham & Lois Pery whose names being called, are present except one, the representatives to quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment, the busines respecting Martha Collins is again defered under their care of the same, committee

The committee appointed to prepare a certificate for John Knowles and family not having produced one it is defered under their care.

Received extracts from the minuets of our last yearly Meeting a lso Extracts of the report of the Boarding School Committee which gives liberty to send schollars as last year Elizabeth Peckham Deborah Collins & Mary A Robinson are appointed to take the necesary care of such Children as shall be sent to that institution

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

South Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 21st 9 mo 1835 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Ann Pery Lydia Wilbur Jr Hannah Hazard Lois Pery & Elisabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one the business respecting Martha Collins is defered under the care of the same committee, the committee appointed to prepare a certificate for John Knowles & family not having produced one it is defered under their care

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Asa Sisson requests a removal certificate for himself & family to Greenwich mo meeting this meeting appoints Lydia Wilbur Jr & Deborah Collins to join our men friends and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one & present to next meeting. This meeting having taken into consideration the smallness of Richmond Preparative Meeting have concluded to appoint a committee to unite with the men in visiting it and report their judgment whether it can with propriety be continued. Amy Knowles Mary A Collins & Elizabeth Peckham are appointed to attend to the above Business and report to next meeting

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

South Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo 26th 1835 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary A Robinson Ruth Kenyon Elisabeth Foster Elisabeth Watson and Eunice Foster whose being called are present one. The queries with answers usually answered from each our preparative meetings except one have been read in this and those selected which appear to comprise the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarter by Deborah Collins and Lois Pery our representatives, The Committee appointed to visit Martha Collins have presented the following report

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting

Dear Friends

We your Committee appointed some time since to visit Martha Collins on account of a complaint brought against her by the overseers, Report, that soon after our appointment we had an opportunity with her in company with her Brother in law Asa Sisson & his wife, and, it appeard to us evident, that there was cause for such a complaint to have been brought, for a great deal of difficulty exist between the two families; and such as was a reproach to our society, and we thought Martha to have been, and still, to be, the principle cause of the disturbance, besides having talked about divers of her friend to their dissatisfaction, as way opened we endeavoured to reconcile her to her Brother & Sister, and other friends, but it seemed to be in vain. since that time three of the committee have had another opportunity with her & as ability was afforded we laboured for the restoration & reconciliation of the dear young woman to her friends & the monthly meeting but as befor it seemed ~~to be~~ in vain all of which we submit to the mo Meeting

Dorcas Babcock

So Kingston 7th 27 1835

William S Pery
on behalf of the committee

this meeting after a solid consideration thereon have thought it consistent with our profession to deny her a right of membership until she shall return & make friends satisfaction, men friends concurring therein, Deborah Collins is appointed to inform her of the same, The committee appointed to visit Richmond preparative meeting not being ready to report it is defered under their care.

The friends appointed have produced a Certificate for Asa Sisson wife & daughter which is accepted by this and mens meeting and signed

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11 mo 25th 1835 preparative accounts being present except one the representat therein named are Hannah Hazard Hannah Carpenter Bathsheba Ray Lydia Wilbur Lois Perry Sarah Foster whose names being called are present except one The representatives to the Quarterly meeting informed they attended The committee appointed to visit Richmond preparative meeting, not being ready to report it is again defered under their care. Read at this time extracts of Epistles from London, Baltimore, North Carolina & Indiana which were satisfactory, also an extract from our Yearly meeting on education The friend appointed to inform Martha Collins of her being disowned from society has attended thereto

Lydia Wilbur Jr Clk for the day

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Richmond 12 mo 28th 1835 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur Deborah Collins Elizabeth Peckham & Lois Perry whose names being called are present except two who have rendered a reasonable excuse for their absence the committee appointed to visit Richmond preparative meeting not being ready to report it is again defered under their care, read at this time an extract of an Epistle from Newyork and one from the minutes of our own yearly meeting which have been read to satisfaction

At South Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Richmond 1st 25th 1836 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Hannah Carpenter Mary Collins Ruth Kenyon Amy Knowles & Eunice Foster two of whom are present two of those absent have rendered a satisfactory reason for their absence Richmond the committee appointed to visit Richmond preparative meeting not being ready to report it is defered under their care The queries with answers usually answered from each of our preparative meetings except Richmond, have been received & read at this time & selected which appear to comprise the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarterly Eunice Foster Amy Knowles and Mary Foster whom we appoint representatives The public appearences of Elizabeth Peckham being taken into consideration at this time is approved in which the mens meeting unite

Phebe Foster Clerk for the day

At the Kingston mo. meeting of women friends held at Richmond 2 mo 22nd
1836 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives
therein named are Mary Dockray Dorcas B Robinson Lydia Wilbur Jr
Elizabeth Foster Elizabeth Browning & Sarah Foster whose names being called
are present except two The committee appointed to visit Richmond prepar
-tive meeting not being ready to report it is again defered under their
care the friends appointed to attend the quarterly meeting informs attendan
agreeable to appointment. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that
John H Kenyon requests a removal certificate for himself and family
to Greenwich mo. meeting we appoint Mary A Collins & Lydia Wilbur Jr
to join our men friends & if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one &
present to next meeting. Western preparative meeting informs that
Ephraim C Collins & Mary Foster propose publishing their intentions
of Marriage befor this meeting. they accordingly appeared & expressed their
intention of taking each other in marriage, which this meeting takes notice
of & desires them to wait until next month for an answer Amy Knowles
is appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage ~~enge~~ engagem
-ents & report to next meeting
Lydia Wilbur Jr Clk for day

At the Kingston mo. meeting of women friends held at Western
3 mo 28th 1836 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives
therein named are Hannah Carpenter Hannah Hazard Susan C
Wilbur, Mary A Collins Dorcas Babcock & Elizabeth Browning
whose names being called are present except two who rendered a reason
-able excuse for their absence, the committee appointed to visit richmond prep
-arative meeting not being ready to report it is defered under their care.
The committee appointed to prepare a certificate for John H Kenyon &
family not being ready to report, it is defered under their care. The friend
appointed to enquire into Mary Fosters clearness respecting marriage engage
-ments, Reports she finds nothing to prevent her proceeding in marria
-ge with Ephraim C Collins by keeping to the good order of society
Elizabeth Peckham & Amy Knowles are appointed to attend the solemnization
of said marriage and report to next meeting. Received at this time the Lon
-don printed Epistle also some advice from the said meeting which have been rea
to satisfaction. Our esteemed friend John Wilbur opened in this meeting a concern
which had for some time attended his mind of attending the approaching
Yearly meeting at Philadelphia also of attending some meetings on his way to & away
[illegible]

should open having the unity of this meeting he is left at liberty the clerk is directed to sign a copy of a minuet furnished him by men friends.

Susan C. Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of Women friends held at Western 4th mo 25th 1836 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Mary Dockray Hannah Carpenter Lydia Wilbur Elisabeth Foster Sarah Green & Eunice Foster whose names being Called are present except one who rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence —

The queries with answers from each of our preparative meetings except one have been read, & such selected as we think comprise the present state of this meeting & are to forward them with the accoun to the ensuing quarter by Dorcas Babcock & Eunice Foster our representatives. The committee appointed to visit Richmond Preparative meeting not being ready to report it is defered under their care, The friends appointed to prepare a Certificate for John H Kenyon & family not being ready to report it is again defered The Committee appointed to attend the Marrigge of Ephraim C Collins & Mary Foster, report that they attended & think it was orderly conducted — This meeting is informed that part of the S W overseers met as usual

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 5th mo 23rd 1836 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Hannah Hazard Ruth H Hazard Deborah Collins Mary W Collins Amy Knowles & Lois Perry whose names being called are present except two this meeting is informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposition in her family. The subject respecting Richmond preparative meeting is again defered. the friends appointed to prepare a certificate for John H Kenyon & family not being ready to report it is defered under their care the friends appointed have produced a certificate for John Knowles & family which is accepted by both meetings & signed by the Clerk this being the usual time for the appointment of overseers the representatives from the severall preparative meetings have proposed Mary A Robinson Hannah Carpenter Lydia Wilbur Mary A Collins Eunice Foster Elisabeth Watson & Phebe Foster

which being united with in this meeting they are appointed to that
station for the ensuing year men friends uniting therein

Our beloved friend John Wilbur informed this meeting that a conc
rn had attended his mind of attending the ensuing Yearly meeting
to be held at New York & requests a copy of a minuet from men
friends, which being united with the clerk is directed to sign
the appointment of Clerk & assistant coming befor this meetin
Susan C Wilbur is appointed clerk for the ensuing year Deborah
Collins is appointed to select an assistant & report to next meetin

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at
So Kingston 6th mo 27th 1836 preparative accounts being present
except one the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpen
ter Mercy P Docksay Lydia Wilbur jr Elizabeth Foster Hannah M
Babcock & Lois Perry whose names being called are present
the appointment of an assistant clerk coming befor this meeting
Elizabeth Foster is appointed for that service the ensuing year
the subject of Richmond preparative meeting is again defered
The friends appointed to prepare a certificate for John H Kenyon &
family not having produced one it is ~~of~~ also defered

At South Kingston mo Meeting of women friends
held at So Kingston 7 mo 25 1836 preparative accounts being prest
the representatives therein named are Ruth H Hazard Mary Nichol
Thankful Collins Susan C Wilbur Dorcas Babcock Eunice Foster &
Phebe Foster whose names being called are present except one who
sent a reasonable excuse for her absence, The queries from each
of our preparative meetings with answers to the first second and
tenth have been read from which we have selected the following
as descriptive of the present state of this meeting & are to forward
them with the account to the ensuing quarter by Deborah Collins
and Elizabeth Peckham our representatives. The committee
appointed to visit Richmond preparative meeting not being ready
to report it is again defered. The friends appointed have produced
a Certificate for John H Kenyon and family which is accepted by
both meetings and signed by the clerk. this meeting is informe

that the overseers met and considered such business as came before th

S C W Clk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 8 mo 22 1836 preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Hazard Eunice Dockray Mary A Collins Deborah Collins Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry & Amy Sheffield whose names being called are present except two one of whom sent a reasonable excuse for her absence. The friends appointed to attend quarterly meeting inform they attended the friends appointed to ~~attend~~ visit Richmond preparative meeting not being ready to report it is defered under their care

Richmond Preparative informs that Eunice Kenyon requests a removal certificate to Providence Mo Meeting, this meeting appoints Lydia Wilbur Jr and Mary A Collins to make the necessary enquiry and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting. Received and read at this time a minute from our last yearly meeting which was acceptable also a report of the yearly meeting Boarding S committee which gives this meeting the privilege of sending schollars the same as last year. Hannah M Babcock Mary A Collins and Mary A Robinson are appointed to take the necessary care of those who are desirous of being placed at the institution during the ensuing year

SCW

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9 mo 26 1836 preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Dorcas B Robinson Mary A Robinson Alice Wilbur Lydia Wilbur Jr Eunice Foster Judith Peckham and Phebe Foster whose names being called are present except one The friends appointed to visit Richmond Preparative meeting not being ready to report it is again defered— The committee appointed to prepare a certificate for Eunice Kenyon have produced one which is accepted by both meetings and is as follows the clerk is directed to sign and forward the same. To Providence Mo meeting of friends Eunice Kenyon daughter of Simeon having removed to live within the limits of your Mo meeting this is to certify on her behalf that she is a member of this meeting and on enquiry it appears her outwards affairs are settled to satisfaction and is clear of Marriage engagements amongst us as such we recommend her to your christian care and are your friends Signed by directions of So Kingston mo meeting held at Hopkinton 9 mo 26 1836 By

Susan C Wilbur
William A Robinson
Clerks

So Kingston preparative meeting informs that Mary Dockwray
request a removal certificate to Rhode Island Mo Meeting Elizabeth Peckham
and Mary A Robinson are appointed to make the necessary enquiry
& if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next
meeting.

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At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends
held at Hopkinton 10 mo 24 1836 preparative accounts being present
the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockwray Hannah Howard
Bathsheba Ray Lydia Wilbur Amy Knowls Sarah Foster & Phebe
Foster whose names being called are present. The queries have been
read with answers from each of our preparative meetings to those
usually attended to at this time from which we have selected the
following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting and
are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarterly
by Amy Knowls & Mary A Collins our representatives —

The friends appointed to visit Richmond preparative
meeting not being ready to report it is desired under their care
the Clerk informed this meeting she had forwarded the certific
-ate under her care — The committee appointed have produced a
certificate in favor of Mary Dockwray which is accepted by both
meetings and is as follows the Clerk is directed to record and forward
[illegible] the same

To Rhode Island Mo Meeting

Dear Friends

Mary Dockwray having removed to live
within the limits of your mo Meeting requests our certificate, this is
to certify on her behalf that she is a member of this and frequent
attender of meetings and on enquiry it appears that her outward
concerns are settled to satisfaction and is clear of marriage
engagements we recommend her to your care with desires for
her preservation and growth in the truth your friends

Signed by direction of South Kingston mo Meeting
held 10 mo 24th 1836 By Susan C Wilbur Clerk
Timothy C Collins Clerk this time

Mary Dockwrays certificate

Read at this time and Extract of an Epistle from London
Yearly meeting which has been edifying and instructive

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 11 mo 21 1836 two of the preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Foster Lydia Wilbur Eunice Foster and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present the Clerk informed this meeting she had forwarded the Certificate under her care.— One of the representatives to Quarterly meeting informed they attended aggreeable to appointment— Received a Certificate from East Greenwich mo-meeting in favor of Lydia Collins (wife of Lewis) which which is accepted by this meeting and is as follows

Lydia F Collins Certificate

To So Kingston Mo Meeting

Dear Friends

Lydia F Collins (wife of Lewis Collins) having removed to live with her husband within the limits of your meeting has applied to us for a Certificate this may certify that she is a member of our Religious society of consistent life and conversation and a frequent attender of meetings.— With desires for her preservation in the truth we commend her to your Christian care and are your friends, Signed on behalf of Greenwich monthly meeting of friends held at Coventry 31 of 10 mo 1836

By Lois Anthony
William Reynolds } Clerks

The Committee appointed some time since to visit Richmond preparative meeting have produced a report which is accepted and is as follows

To So Kingston Mo Meeting

The Committee appointed to visit Richmond preparative meeting report that they have visited that meeting and all the families of which it is constituted & endeavoured to encourage them to a more faithful attention attention to the keeping up & sustaining of sd Preparative meeting and particular meeting, and met with some encouragement in our labour & have to remark that the sd preparative meeting has since been mostly sustained and we think well that the sd meeting be continued on trial for a longer time— On behalf of the

Hopkinton 11 mo 20 1836 Com Elizabeth Peckham
John Wilbur

Extracts of Epistles from Philadelphia North Carolina Baltimore & New York have been read to satisfaction. ——

At So Kingston mo Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 12 mo 26 1836 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Dorcas B Robinson Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur Bathsheba Roy Sarah Foster Dorcas Babcock whose names being called are present except two one of whom rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence

Extracts of Epistles from Virginia Indiana & Ohio have been read to our satisfaction & encouragement —— -

At So Kingston mo Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 1 mo 23 1837 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur Mary H Collins Phebe Foster Eunice Foster & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except three —— The clerk not being present Lydia Wilbur jr is appointed to serve for the day

The queries have been read in this meeting with answers with answers from each of our preparative meetings usually attended to at this time & such selected as we think comprises the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing Quarter by Eunice Foster & Lydia Wilbur jr our representatives —— Our friend Daniel Clap attended this meeting with a copy of minute from Uxbridge mo Meeting whose company & labours with us have been acceptable —— Richmond preparative meeting informs that Thomas Foster requests a removal certificate for himself and family to Greenwich mo meeting Mary H Collins & Eunice Foster are appointed to join our men friends & if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one & present to next meeting ——

Read at this time an extract from our last yearly meeting which was acceptable. —— ——

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Richmond 2 mo 20 1837 Preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Mercy Dockray Lydia Wilbur Mary H Collins Elizabeth Tinkham & Ruth Foster whose names being called are all present The friends appointed to attend Quarterly meeting inform that one attended the other was prevented & rendered reasonable excuse for her absence — The clerk not being presen Elizabeth Peckham is appointed for the day. —

The committee have produced a certificate for Thomas Foster wife & Children which is approved by this meeting the Clerk is directed to sign the same. —

Received and read at this time the London general printed Epistle & annexed one of counsel which has been comfortable to many minds.

At So Kingston mo Meeting of women friends held at western 3 mo 27 1837 two of the preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah M Babcock Elizabeth Browning Lydia Wilbur Jr Elizabeth [illegible] Foster whose names being called are present except two one of whom rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence — The clerk not being present Lydia Wilbur Jr is appointed for the day

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at western 4 mo 24 1837 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Amy Knowls Elisabeth Watson Hannah Carpenter Bathsheba Ray & Lydia Wilbur whose names being called are present except one —— The queries with answers from three of our preparative meetings have been read in this & such selected which seem to comprise the present state of this meeting which we are to forward to the ensuing quar by Eunice Foster Lydia Wilbur & Mercy Dockray our representatives

This meeting is informed that part of the overseers met as usual & considered such business as came before them

At So Kingston mo meeting of Women friends held at western 5 mo 22 1837 Preparative accounts being present except one the representatives from the several preparative meetings are Mercy Dockray Hannah Carpenter Mary A Collins

Lydia W Collins Lucas Babcock & Elizabeth Browning whose names being called are present except one. Some of the representatives to Quarterly meeting informs they attended agreeable to appointment

Our friend Ruth Davis attended this meeting with a minute of concurrence from New Bedford mo Meeting expressive of their unity with her in her prospect — her company and religious labours are acceptable to us at this time — This being the usual time for the appointment of overseers the representatives from several preparative Meetings have proposed Hannah Carpenter Ann Brown Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Eunice Foster Lois Peck Amy Sheffield & Elizabeth Rathbun which being united with they are appointed to that station for one year — The appointment of a [illegible] coming before this meeting Susan C Wilbur is appointed to that service for the ensuing year — Our esteemed friend Elizabeth Peckham opened in this meeting a concern which had for some time visited her mind of attending the ensuing Yearly Meeting to be held at New york which being united with the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of sd minute — she being a minister in unity with us — Our friend Joseph Davis attended this meeting with a minute of concurrence from New Bedford mo meeting expressive of their unity with him in his prospect his company and religious labours are acceptable to us at this time — S C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston mo Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 6 mo 25 1837 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein named are Hannah Hazard Mary Ann Collins Mary A Collins Bathsheba Kay Elizabeth Browning & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present except three two of whom sent satisfactory reasons for their absence Our friend Elizabeth Peckham returned the copy of minute granted her last mo accompanied with an endorsement from the select Yearly Meeting in New york which is as follows

The company of our friend Elizabeth Peckham has been acceptable to us at this our Yearly Meeting of Friends held in New York

Signed on behalf & by direction of the Yearly Meeting of Ministers & elders held on the 27th of 5 mo & 1st of 6 mo 1837

SCW Clerk   Thomas Willis Clerk

At So Kingston mo Meeting of Women Friends held in So Kingston 7 mo 24th 1837 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Mary A Robinson Lydia Collins Mary A Collins Elizabeth Green Eunice Foster & Amy Sheffield the names being called are present except [illegible] who sent a reason the reason for her absence —

The Queries were read in this meeting with the answers from the several preparative meetings and the answers [illegible] these collected which comprise the present state [illegible] this are are to forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly by Elizabeth Peckham & Eunice Foster our representatives

This meeting is informed that part of the Overseers met & considered such business as came before them & received and read the report of the Boarding School Committee which is as follows Amy Knowles Mary A Collins & Mary A Robinson are appointed to find children if any there be who may be considered suitable ones to obtain a portion of the charitable fund left to this part of the family it is also expected that this committee will furnish certificates for those who may wish to attend the school

At So Kingston mo Meeting of Women Friends held in So Kings 8 mo 21 1837 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Hannah Carpenter Hannah Hazard Mary A Collins Lydia Collins Eunice Foster Lois Perry & Elizabeth Wilbur whose names being called are present except [illegible] for whose absence a satisfactory reason has been rendered — One of the representatives [illegible] she attended the other [illegible] the family Mary [illegible] has returned the [illegible] to Clyde [illegible] mo Meeting

[illegible] without its having been presented — she having returned to live within the limits of this mo Meeting — Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9th 25 1837 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary [illegible] Elizabeth Foster Lydia F Collins Rebecca Segar Eunice Foster & Mary A Rathbun whose names being called are present

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Ethan Foster Jr & Anna A Wilbur propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this meeting, they accordingly appeared & expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage which this meeting takes notice of & desires them to wait until next monthly meeting for an answer, Mary A Collins & Susannah Cole are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage engagements and report to next meeting. read at this time an extract from our last yearly meetings minutes also the London, Philadelphia and Baltimore Epistles which have been encouraging

— Susan C Wilbur Clk

to [illegible] minits

At So Kingston mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 23 1837 Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Mary W Collins Susan C Wilbur Elizabeth [illegible] Anna [illegible] Hannah [illegible] and Amy Sheffield, whose names being called are present except two. The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from all our preparative meetings from which we have compiled the following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting, & are to forward them with the reports to the ensuing quarter by ~~representatives~~ Mary A Collins & Eunice Foster [illegible] — The committee appointed to enquire into Anna A Wilburs clearness from marriage engagements report that they find nothing to hinder her proceeding in marriage with Ethan Foster Jr by uniting to the good order of society Eunice Foster & Mary A Collins are appointed

to attend the [illegible] of said marriage and report to [illegible] meeting — Our esteemed friend John Wilbur opened in this meeting a concern which had for sometime attended his mind of paying a religious visit to friends in the southern part of New York yearly meeting, also to appoint some meetings in Connecticut if truth should open the way, which this meeting after due consideration unites with him in his prospect
read at this time an extract of an Epistle from New york ym

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11 mo 27th 1837 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives therein ~~are~~ named are Mercy Peckray Thankful Collins Susan C Wilbur Elizabeth Peckham Sarah Foster whose names being called are present except one One of the represent^t tives to quarterly meeting informs she attended the other was prevented by sickness The committee appointed to attend the marriage of Thos Foster jr & Anna A Wilbur report that they think it orderly conducted & have taken the necessary care respecting the Certificate—

So Kingston preparative meeting informs that Amos C Wilbur & Sarah Hazard propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this meeting they accordingly appeared & expressed their intentions of takeing each other in marriage which this meeting takes notice of. Elizabeth Peckham is appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage engagements & report to next meeting——

Read at this time extracts of Epistles from Ohio Virginia & North Carolina also the London printed Epistle containing much excelent counsel

Susan C Wilbur Clk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 12 mo 25 1837 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Hannah Hazard [illegible] Collins Mary A Collins Eliza Green & Amy Knowles whose names being called are present except one. — The friends appointed to enquire Sarah Hazards clearness respecting marriage informs that nothing appears to prevent her proceeding in ~~marria~~ge [illegible] according to the good order established among friends Elizabeth Peckham & Eunice Foster are appointed to attend the solemnization thereof and report to next meeting Received & read at this time a removal Certificate from Greenwich Mo Meeting in favor of John Spencer & wife Margaret which is accepted. E Peckham Clk

At So Kingston mo meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 1st mo 22 1838 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Lydia C Collins Mary D Collins Hannah Carpenter Hannah Haz Elizabeth Watson & Dorcas Babcock being called are present except four one of whom sent a satisfactory reason for her absence. — The queries with the answers from our several preparative meetings except one have been read and those selected that comprise the present state of this meeting and are to forward them to the ensuing Quarterly meeting by our representatives Elizabeth Peckham and Eunice Foster. the committee appointed to attend the marriage of Amos C Wilbur & Sarah Hazard report that it was conducted in an orderly manner — This meeting is closed that part of the overseers met as usual. E Peckham Clk

At So Kings Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 2 mo 23 1838 accounts being present from three preparative meetings the representatives are Thankful Collins Elizabeth W Wilbur Mary Dockray Sarah C Wilbur Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one. One of the representatives to Quarterly meetings informs they attended Western preparative meeting informs that George Crib and Sarah Foster propose publishing their intentions of marriage befor this meeting they appeared and expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriag which this meeting notices Amy Knowles is appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage and report to next meeting

Thankful Collins Clerk the day

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women frien held at Westerly 3 mo 25 1838 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Ruth A Hazard Alice Wilbur Mary A Collins Elizabeth Bro Sarah Green whose names being called are present except tho who sent satisfactory reasons for their absence. The friend appointed to enquire into Sarah Fosters clearness respecting mar reports that she finds nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with George W Carr by keeping to the good order of society Amy Knowles & Elizabeth Peckham are appointed to attend the solmenization of said marriage and report to next meeting.

S C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women frien held at Westerly 4th mo 22 1838 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Dorcas B Robinson Caroline Hazard Susan Wilbur Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Watson & Elizabeth Peckham all present. The queries with the answers from our several preparative meetings except one have been read and those selected that comprise the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarter by Lois Perry & Lydia Wilbur our representatives.—The committee appointed to attend the marriage of George W Carr & Sarah Foster inform they attended and think it was orderly conducted and that the certificate is with the clerk to be recorded— this meeting is informed that the overseers met as usual

Susan C W. Clerk

[illegible] Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at [illegible] [illegible] mo 25th 183[illegible] preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Mercy Dockray Ann Brown Mary A Collins Elizabeth Wilbur [illegible] Browning & Elizabeth Greene whose names being called are present

This meeting is informed that the representatives to quarterly attended agreeable to appointment. This being the usual time for the appointment of Overseers for said the representatives from the several preparative meetings have proposed Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Ann Brown Hannah Carpenter Eunice Foster Lois Perry Elizabeth Rathbun & Ann Shepherd who are appointed to that service for the ensuing year men friends concurring therein. The appointment of some friends to take the necessary care of those who may stand in need of assistance coming before this meeting Dorcas Babcock Ann Brown & Mary A Collins are appointed to that service for one year. This being the usual time for the appointment of Clerk and assistant Susan C Wilbur is appointed Clerk & Elizabeth Foster assistant for the ensuing year

Susan C Wilbur C

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held in South Kingston 7 mo 25th 1838 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Mercy Dockray Ruth H Hazard Deborah Collins Mary A Collins Elizabeth [illegible] & Sarah Green whose names being called are present except two. Our esteemed friend John Wilbur has returned the certificate granted him in the tenth month last with endorsements from the several quarterly & mo meetings which he attended expressive of their unity with him in his labors.

Elizabeth Foster asst Clerk

At So Kingston Mo meeting mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 8th mo 23rd 1838 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Ann Brown Ruth H Ha[illegible] [illegible] Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Ann Knowles & Judith [illegible] whose names being called are present except one. The queries having been read at this time satisfactory answers to the first second & tenth from which we have compiled the following as most descriptive of the present state of this meeting & transmit them with the account to the ensuing quarterly by Elizabeth Peckham & Eunice Foster whom we appoint representatives. Richmond preparative meeting having been very small of late fallen through, it claiming the consideration of this meeting & on considering the subject Mary A Collins Eunice Foster & Ann Brown are appointed to join our men friends in visiting the same & take into consideration the propriety of holding a continuing a preparative meeting there and report to next meeting

E S Clk for the day

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held in South Kingston 27th of 8th mo 1838 Preparative act being present except one the representatives are Mary A Robinson Mary Dockray Thankful Collins Mary D Collins Elizabeth Watson & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except one this meeting is informed that the representatives to quarterly meeting attended to that appointment — South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Sarah wife of George W Carr requests a removal certificate to Rhode Island mo meeting Elizabeth Watson & Jane Hazard are appointed to make the necessary enquiry and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one & present to next meeting the comtee appointed last mo to visit Richmond preparative meeting not being ready to report it is defered under their care. Received & read the report of the Boarding School committee with extracts from our last yearly meetings minutes which have been acceptable Received at this time the usual Epistles from the different yearly meetings in America and one from London which with one from Philadelphia has been read to satisfaction

E Peckham Clk for the day

At South Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 9th mo 1838 Preparative acts being present except one the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Mary Dockray Elizabeth Foster Susan Wilbur Jane Hazard & Eunice Foster whose names being called are present except two The friends appointed have produced a certificate for Sarah Carr which is approved by this and mens meeting and the clerk is directed to record and forward the same

Sarah's Carrs Certificate

To Rhode Island Mo Meeting

Dear friends

Our friend Sarah Carr having removed to the residence of her husband George J Carr within the limits of your mo Meeting requests our Certificate we hereby certify that she is a member of our society of an orderly life and conversation a diligent attender of meetings whose outward affairs it appears on enquiry are settled to satisfaction as we recommend her to your christian care and attention

Signed on and by direction of So Kingston mo meeting of friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 9th mo 1838

by Susan C Wilber
William A Robinson } Clks

The friends appointed last year to select children for friends School and to have the care of those who are desirous of attending are continued the ensuing year Extracts of Epistles from Ohio North Carolina New York & Indiana have been read at this time to satisfaction

S C Wilber Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo 22nd 1838 preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Mercy Dockray Alice Wilber Deborah Collins Eunice Foster and Elizabeth Peckham not all present — The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from all our preparative meetings except one from which we have compiled the following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarter by Susan C Wilber & Deborah Collins our representatives.

Received a Certificate from Greenwich Mo Meeting in favour of Polly Colgrove which is approved by this and mens meeting and is as follows

To South Kingston Mo Meeting

Dear friends

Polly Colgrove having removed to reside in the limits of your meeting This may certify on her behalf that she is a member of our religious society of consistent deportment and her outward concerns settled to satisfaction so far as appears With desires for her preservation in the truth we commend her to your christian care and are

Polly Colgroves Certificate

your friends — Signed on ~~and~~ behalf and by direction of Greenwich mo meeting of friends held in Coventry the 30th of 7th mo 1838

By William Reynolds }
Lois Anthony } Clerks

The committee appointed sometime past to attend Richmond meeting & consider the subject of its continuance report that they have attended to that subject & propose discontinuing the preparative meeting ~~the~~ & annexing it to Hopkinton & they also propose to the mo meeting the propriety of appointing a committee to visit it from time to time which this meeting taken into consideration have appointed Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Amy Knowles & Eunice Foster to that service for the ensuing year

S. C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 26th 1838 accounts from the preparative meetings being present the representatives are Mercy Dockray Ann Brown Rachel Collins Elizabeth Foster Eunice Foster & Ruth A Foster all present except two one of whom sent a reasonable excuse for her absence — One of the representatives to quarterly meeting informes she attended the other was prevented by indisposition in her family —

This meeting is informed that Sarah Congdon request a removal Certificate to Swanzey mo meeting whereupon this meeting appoints Lydia Wilbur and Mercy Dockray to make the necessary enquiry & if nothing appears to hinder to prepare one and present to next meeting — Read at this the London printed Epistle also an Epistle from Virginia

S C W Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Richmond 12 mo 24th 1838 accounts from the preparative meetings being present the representatives are Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Eunice Foster Hannah M Babcock being called are all present — one of the committee to prepare a certificate for Sarah Congdon presented one which is approved & signed Lydia Wilbur is appointed to forward it to said meeting

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To Swansey mo Meeting of friends

Sarah Congdon Certificate

Dear friends

Sarah Congdon having remove to Fall
River a place within the compass of your meeting
requests our Certificate This is therefore to certify on be
half that she is a member of our society and on
enquiry find that her temporal concerns are settle
to satisfaction as such we recommend her to your
christian care and are your friends

Signed on behalf of So Kingstown mo
meeting of friends held at Richmond 24th of 12 mo 183
By Hannah M Babcock
clerk for the

1st 28 At So Kingston mo Meeting of Women friends held at
Richmond 28th of 1st mo 1839 Preparative accounts being present
the representatives are Mary Dockray Hannah Carpenter Susan
C Wilbur Mary A Collins Jane Hazard & Elizabeth Peckham
whose names being called are present except two for one a
reasonable excuse has been rendered —— The queries have
been read at this time succeeded by answers to the first second
& tenth from which we have compiled the following as descrip
tive of the present state of this meeting and forward them to
the ensuing quarter by our representatives Mary A Collins
Mary F Dockray & Elizabeth Peckham S C Wilbur Clerk

2 mo 25 At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends
held a Richmond 2 mo 25 1839 preparative accounts being
present the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Mary Dockray
Lydia Wilbur Thankful Collins Judith F Peckham and Eliza
beth Foster whose names being called but two are present
The representatives to quarterly meeting inform they all atten
ded Received a certificate from Greenwich Mo meeting in
favour of Thomas Foster wife and family which being read
is united with

S A Collins Clk
for the day

3rd mo 25 At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 3 mo 25 1839 preparative accounts being present the representatives are Elizabeth W Wilbur Dorcas B. Robinson Mary A Collins Susan C Wilbur Elizabeth Browning & Eunice Foster whose names being called are pres

Our esteemed friend Elizabeth Peckham opened in this meeting a concern which had for some time accompanie her mind of attending the approaching yearly meeting to be held in Philadelphia which this meeting after a time of deliberation unites with. She being a minister in good esteem the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute

S C W Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 22nd 4 mo 1839 preparative accounts being present the representatives are Ann Brown Hannah Carpenter Lydia Wilbur Thankful Collins Sarah Green & Elizabeth Watson whose names being called are present, The queries with the answers from all our preparative meetings have been read at this time in those selected that appear to compre the present state of this meeting which with the account we forward to you by our representatives who are Lydia Wilbur Lois Perry & Ann Brown.

Susan C Wilbur Cle

Elizabeth Peckham returned to this meeting the minute granted her last mo to attend Philadelphia yearly meeting with information that she did so to the satisfaction of her own mind

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at 27 5 mo 1839 preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary A Collins Susan C Wilbur Mary P Dockray Mary Dockray Hannah M Babcock & Eunice Foster who being called are present two of the representatives to quarterly meeting attended the other was prevented by indisposition the appointment of overseers for society coming before this meeting the representatives from the several preparative meetings have proposed Ann Brown Hannah Carpenter Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Eunice Foster Lois Perry and Elizabeth Foster which being united with they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year & men friends concurring therein — The appointment of some friends to take the necessary care of those who may stand in need of assistance coming for this meeting Elizabeth Peckham Mary F Dockray & Susan Wilbur are appointed to that service for one year —

Received a certificate from Providence Mo meeting in favour of Caroline Hazard and her two children Rowland and John Newbold which being read is acceptable — ~~Wh~~ and is as follows — To South Kingston mo meeting of friends

Dear friends

Caroline Hazard wife of Rowland G Hazard having removed to live within the limits of your meeting requests our certificate. This is to inform that sh and their minor children Rowland & John Newbold Haz and are members of our society and while residing with us she was frequent in the attendance of our meetings we recommend them to your Christian care and are your frien

Signed by direction and on behalf of Providence monthly meeting held 27th of 3rd mo 1839 Arnold Congdon
Lydia C Smith Clerks

we have also received a Certificate from Greenwich mo meeting in favour of Paulina Foster which has been read and is as follows — To So Kingston mo meeting

Dear Friends

Paulina Foster wife of John Foster) having removed to reside with her husband within the limits of your meeting has requested our Certificate this may certify that she is a member of our religious order life and conversation a frequent attender of meetings and her outward concerns are settled to satisfaction. With desires for her preservation and growth in the truth we recommend her to your christian care and are your friends — Signed on behalf and by direction of Greenwich mo meeting of friends held in Cranston 4 of 3 mo 1839

Lois Anthony
William Reynolds Clks

The appointment of a Clerk and assistant coming befor this meeting Susan C Wilbur is appointed Clerk and Eliza Foster assistant Susan C Wilbur

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 24 of 6 mo 183 preparative accounts being present the representatives are Jane Hazard Mercy Dockray Rachel Collins Alice Wilbur Amy Knowls & Eunice Foster who being called ar present — Our esteemed friend Elizabeth Robson from Great Britain is now with us and produced a certificate of concurrence from Hardshaw West mo meeting held at Liverpool 17th of 8th mo 1838 indorsed by Lancashire quarterly meeting held at Liverpool 20th of 9th mo 1838 whose company and religious engagements have been acceptable to us at this time. Accompanied by her husband Thomas Robson with a certificate from Hardshaw West mo meeting held at Liverpool 27 of 12 mo 1838 whose company is also acceptable SCW Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 22 of 7th mo 1839 preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary Ann Collins Ann Brown Phebe Foster Mary A Collins Sarah Green & Hannah M Babcock all present except one — The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from which we have compiled the following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting which with the account we forward to you by our representatives who are Amy Knowls Mercy Dockray and Eunice Foster — Our esteemed friend Benjamin Fry is now with us and Produced a certificate from Sandwich mo meeting of friends in the State of New Hampshire held 5 mo 16th 1839 whose company and religious labors have been acceptable to us at this time SCW Clerk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 26 of 8 mo 1839. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Lydia Wilbur Deborah Collins Mercy Dockray Ruth H Hazard Dorcas Babcock Eliza Green All present — one of the representatives to quarterly meeting informed she attended, the other rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence ———. Received extracts from our last yearly meetings minutes with a report of the boarding school committee the former containing much good counsel Elisabeth Peckham Deborah Collins and Mercy Dockray are appointed to take the necessary care of Children wishing to be placed at the School the ensuing year. — This meeting unites with our men friends in recommending Timothy C Collins to the station of an elder, We have received Epistles from all of the yearly meetings in America and one from London read at this time one from Ohio

~~Susan C Wilbur~~ Clk
Eliza Foster Assistant

At So Kingston Mo meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 23 of 9 mo 1839 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Dorcas B Robinson Thankful Kenyon Mary W Collins Dorcas Babcock and Amy Knowles who being called are present except one Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that William T. Bown and Eliza N Collins propose publishing their intentions of marriage befor this meeting, they accordingly appeard and exprest their intentions of taking each other in marriage which this meeting takes notice of. Phebe Foster and Deborah Collins are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage and report to next meeting —— Read at this time extracts of Epistles from Baltimore North Carolina and New York to satisfaction — This meeting adjourns proposing to meet two weeks from to day at the 10 hour

10th mo 7th. Met agreeable to adjournment the committee appoi to enquire into Eliza N. Collins's clearness respecting marriage report that they find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with William F. Bowen by keeping to the good order of society Mary A Collins and Lydia Wilbur are appointed to attend the solemnization of said marriage and report to next meeting.

S C W Clerk

At South Kingston mo, meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 28th of 10 mo 1839

preparative accounts being present the representatives are Jane Hazard Dorcas S Robinson Thankful Collins Susan C Wilbur Lois Perry & Eunice Foster all present except one The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from which we have compiled the following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting and transmit them to our next quarterly meeting with the account by Susan C Wilbur and Elizabeth Peckham our representatives. The committee appointed to attend the marriage of William F Bowen & Eliza N Collins, report that it was orderly conducted and that the committee is continued on account of the original certificate not being forwarded or record; read at this time the Philadelphia Epistle to satisfaction

At South Kingston mo meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 25 of 11th mo 1839

preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary Dockray Hannah Carpenter Mary D Collins Phebe Foster Elizabeth Peckham and Eliza Green being called but three are present, one of whom sent a reasonable excuse for her absence, the representatives to quarterly meeting informs they attended to their appointment Read at this time the Indiana and London epistles to satisfaction. Our esteemed friend John Wilbur opened in this meeting a concern which had for some time visited his mind of attending nearly all the quarterly meetings constituting this yearly meeting also of attending some meeting belonging thereto which after a time of solid consideration is united with and he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect as truth may direct

S. C. Wilbur Clk

At So Kingston mo meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 23 of 12 mo 1839 preparative accounts being present the representatives are, on account of a severe storm and the extreme difficulty of getting about the meeting was entirely omitted

At South Kingston Mo meeting of Women friends held at Richmond 27th of 1st mo 1840, preparative accounts being present the representatives are Jane Hazard Hannah Carpenter Thankful Collins Susan C. Wilbur Elizabeth Peckham and Eunice Foster, who being called are present except one.
The queries with the answers have been read at this time and those selected that appear to comprise the present state of this meeting with with the account we transmit to our next quarterly meeting by Susan C. Wilbur Eunice Foster and Jane Hazard whom we appoint representatives

Susan C Wilbur Clk

At South Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Richmond 24 of 2 mo 1840 preparative accounts being present the representatives are Dorcas T. Robinson Hannah Hazard Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Eunice Foster and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one—
The representatives to quarterly meeting inform that they were prevented from attending by indisposition—
Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Gideon Wilbur requests a removal certificate for himself and family to New Bedford mo meeting Lydia Wilbur and Rachel Collins are appointed to join ~~women~~ men friends and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting—
Received at this time a certificate in favour of Mary Ann Thom from Uxbridge mo meeting which is as follows

Martha Collins having requested to be reinstated in to society Elizabeth Peckham Eunice Foster and Mary A Collins are appointed to have an opportunity with her and report to a future meeting

E Foster Assistant

At South Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Western 23 of 3 mo 1840 Preparative acounts being present the representatives are Jane Hazard Hannah Carpenter Rachel Collins Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Watson and Judith F Peckham being called are all present the committee appointed to visit Martha Collins not being ready to report it is defered under the care of the same friends. Western preparative meeting informs that Mary Green requests the care of friends we appoint Amy Knowls and Elizabeth Peckham to visit her on said account and report to next meeting. —— The committee appointed to prepare a certificate for Gideon Wilbur and family have presented one which being read is approved and signed.

The committee appointed to visit Richmont meeting report that they think best to discontinue that meeting except the first days preceding our mo meeting which being considered in this is united with Elisabeth Peckham Lydia Wilbur Hannah Carpenter Rachel Collins and Dorcas Babcock are appointed to attend said meeting the ensuing year

Our beloved friend John Wilbur returned to this meeting a copy of a minute granted him in the 11 mo 1839 with a minute of concurrence from the Quarterly meetings which he attended. —— Received and read at this time the declaration of the views of friends from the meeting of sufferings to satisfaction — Our esteemed friend John Wilbur opened in this meeting a prospect which had for some time visited his mind of attending the approaching yearly meeting to be held at Philadelphia and if way should open to attend some meetings on his return also to attend the ensuing yearly meeting at New York which being united with he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect.

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Western 27 of 4 mo 1840 preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary A Collins Deborah Collins Mary Ann Collins Ruth B Hazard Hannah W Babcock and Sarah Green all present except one. The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers from which we have compiled the following as discriptive of the present state of this meeting which with the account we transmit to our next quarter by Amy Knowls Rachel Collins and Mary Ann Collins our representatives —— The committee appointed to visit Martha Collins not being ready to report it is defered under their care.

The committee appointed to visit Mary Green on her request to be admitted a member of society report that they think her sincere in her request she is therefore admitted a member men friends uniting therein Elizabeth Watson appointed to inform her of the same — Western preparative informs that Mary Eldrige formerly Tucker has married with one not a member of society Hannah M Babcock and Eunice Foster are appointed to visit her on said account and report to next meeting — Hopkinton Preparative meeting informs that John Spencer requests a removal certificate for himself and wife to Greenwich mo meeting, this meeting appoints Susan C Wilbur and Deborah Collins to join our men friends & if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At South Kingston mo meeting of Women friends held at Westerly 25 of 5th mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mercy Dockray Dorcas B Robinson Thankful Collins Susan C Wilbur Dorcas Babcock & Amy Knowls being called are present except one. This meeting is informed that the representatives to quarterly meeting attended. The committee app in case of Martha [illegible] not being ready to report it is again deferred — The committee in case of Mary Eldrige not being ready to report it is also deferred

This being the usual time for the appointment of Overseers for society the representatives have proposed Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Hannah Carpenter Mary Ann Collins Elizabeth Foster Eunice Foster and Lois Perry who are appointed to that service for the ensuing year men friends uniting therein — the friend appointed to inform Mary Green of her being admitted a member reports she has attended to her appointment — The friends appointed to oversee those who may stand in need of assistance are continued as last year —
The committee appointed have produced a certificate for John Spencer and wife which is acceptable to this meeting — The appointment of Clerk and assistant coming before this meeting Susan C Wilbur is appointed Clerk & Thankful Collins assistant for one year

Susan C Wilbur
Clerk

At South Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 22 of 6 mo 1840 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mercy Dockray Sarah [illegible] Collins Hannah L Collins Judith [illegible] Peckham & [illegible] being called are all present. Our friend Sybil Jones attended this meeting with a minute of unity from China Mo Meeting dated [illegible] of [illegible] mo which with her labors of love have been acceptable to us. The Clerk is directed to sign a minute to that effect —

The case of Martha Collins by request of the committee is again refered. The committee in case of Mary Eldred inform they have paid some attention to the subject but are not ready to report it is therefor refered. The subject of holding our monthly meeting coming befor this meeting it is concluded to hold it as befor until the 12th mo then at Westerly for four months at So Kingston four then at Hopkinton the same length of time. Received at this time returning minutes from Salem and Dover quarterly Meetings held 1st mo last and one from Vassalborough mo Meeting held 2 mo last in favour of John Wilbur which is acceptable. Our men friends inform ~~this meeting~~ that John Wilbur returned at this time a minute which was granted him 25th of third mo last to attend the yearly meeting of Philadelphia

Thankful Collins Clerk

At South Kingston mo Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 27 of 7th mo 1840 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Nancy Brown Hannah Carpenter Lydia F Collins Alice Wilbur Elizabeth Peckham & Hannah M Babcock whose names being called are present except one. The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from which we have compiled the following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting and transmit them with the account to our next quarterly meeting by Lydia Wilbur Elizabeth Peckham and Hannah Carpenter whom we appoint representatives. The committee on the request of Martha Collins not being ready to report it is defered under their care. The committee in case of Mary Eldred not being ready to report it is also defered.

E Peckham Clerk for the day

At South Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 24 of 8 mo 1840 accounts being received from the preparative meetings the representatives are Mary Ann Collins Ann Brown Mary A Collins Deborah Collins Eunice Foster & Dorcas Babcock being called are present. One of the representatives to quarterly meeting informs they attended to their appointment. The committee in the case of Martha Collins have made the following report

We your Committee appointed to visit Martha Collins on her ackno
ledgement & request to be admitted into membership with friends repo
that we have had several ~~or~~ opportunity with her to some degree of satisfactio
believing that she is endeavoring to live more conformably to what
truth requires, still there is evidence that more watchfulness ought
to be maintained on some accounts; and we are united in judgment
that the time has not yet arrived for her admission into membership
with friends, All which we submit to the Mo meeting for their conside
ration. Signed on behalf of the Committee of men and
women friends by

Mary A Collins
Wm S Perry

So Kingston 24 of 8 mo 1840

Which is accepted by this meeting and the case dropt for the present —

The committee in case of Mary Eldred, report that they have had
several opportunities with her to some satisfaction but as she gives
no encouragement of attending our meetings much but attends those
of others it is concluded to testify against her being a member of our
society having the unity of men friends herein, Eunice Foster is
appointed to inform her of the same

Thankful Collins Asst Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at
Hopkinton 21 of 9th mo 1840 Preparative accounts being present the
representatives are Mercy Dockray Dorcas B Robinson Thankful
Kenyon Mary H. Collins Eunice Foster and Amy Knowls being called are
all present except one, — Read at this time an Epistle from our yearly
meeting to its subordinate meetings, also Epistles from Virginia Ohio
and Philadelphia together with the report of the Boarding School
committee to satisfaction

Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at
Hopkinton 26 of 10 mo 1840 Prepara[illegible] accounts being present the repres
entatives are Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Mercy Dockray Dorcas B
Robinson Elizabeth Peckham & Amy Knowls being called are present
except one — The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers
to the first second and tenth from which we have compiled the follow
ing as descriptive of the present state of this meeting and transmit them
ith the account to our next quarterly meeting by Mary A Collins and
one Howard our representatives

Read at this time Epistles from North Carolina New York and Indiana to satisfaction
S C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23 of 11 mo 1840 Preparative accounts being present except one the representatives are Mary A Collins Phebe Foster Eunice Foster and Elizabeth Peckham being called are present —
This meeting is informed that the representatives to quarterly meeting attended agreeable to appointment — Our esteemed friend Elizabeth Peckham opened in this meeting a concern she feels of attending Sandwich Quarterly meeting also of appointing a few meetings in Dartmouth mo meeting if way should open which after a time of deliberation is united with she being a minister in unity with us the clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute — The London printed Epistle has been acceptably read at this time
Susan C Wilbur Clerk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Westerly 28 of 12 mo 1840 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mercy Dockray Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur Lydia Collins Elizabeth Browning and Dorcas Babcock present except two one of whom sent a satisfactory reason for her absence
Our esteemed friend Elizabeth Peckham returned to this meeting a copy of a minute granted her in 10 mo last to attend Sandwich quarterly meeting and a few meetings within the compass thereof with information that she had performed the visit to the satisfaction of her own mind, accompanied with an indorsment from said Quarterly meeting expresive of their unity with her in her religious engagements therein
Hannah Hazard Clk for the day

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at westerly 25 of 1 mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Jane Hazard [illegible]cy Dockray Thankful Collins Sarah Ann Collins Amy Reynolds and Eunice Foster being called are present except one — The queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the first second and tenth from which we have selected the following as descriptive of our present state and transmit them to our next Quarterly meeting by our friends Elizabeth Peckham and Thankful Collins whom we appoint representatives

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Isaiah Kay
proposes publishing his intentions of marriage before this meeting
with Susan C Wilbur, they accordingly appeared in this meeting
and declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage
Eunice Foster and Thankful Collins are appointed to make the
necessary enquiry respecting her clearness in regard to marriage
and report to next meeting — Thankful Collins Asst clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at
Westerly 22 of 2 mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives
are Mary Ann Collins Ann Brown Lydia Collins Lydia Wilbur Dorcas
Babcock & Elizabeth Watson being called are all present. The representa-
tives appointed to attend the quarterly meeting inform they attended according
to appointment. The committee appointed to enquire into Susan C Wilburs
clearness respecting Marriage report they find nothing to prevent her
proceeding in marriage with Isaiah Kay by keeping to the good order
of society Lydia F Collins and Eliza Foster are appointed to attend the
solemnization of s'd marriage and report to next meeting
Hannah Hazard Clk for the day

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held
at Westerly 22 of 3 mo 1841 preparative accounts being present
the representatives are Mercy Dockray Hannah Hazard Mary A Collins
Lydia F Collins Elizabeth Browning & Lois Perry being called are
present The committee appointed to attend the Marriage of Isaiah Kay
& Susan C Wilbur think it was orderly conducted. Hopkinton
preparative meeting informs that William A Shearman proposes
publishing his intentions of marriage with Mary C Kenyon they
accordingly appeared in this Meeting and declared their intentions of
taking eachother in marriage Lydia Wilbur & Harriet Collins
are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage
and report to next meeting. Hopkinton preparative meeting also
informs that Sarah Rathbun Daughter of Joshua Rathbun has
evidently kept company in a reproachful manner, this meeting after due
deliberation think best for the clearing of truth and our testimonies to
testify against her her transgression being of such a nature warrants
upon her disownment men friends leaving it to our disposal

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At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 26 of 4 mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Ruth H Hazard Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur Mary A Collins Lois Perry & Elizabeth Peckham all present except one who sent a reasonable excuse for her absence. The queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers from all our meetings from which we have compiled the following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting and transmit them with the account to our next quarterly meeting by Amy Knowls and Susan C Kay our representatives.

The committee appointed to enquire into Mary C Kenyons clearness respecting Marriage report that they find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with William A Shearman by keeping to the good order of society Lydia Wilbur and Mary A Collins are appointed to attend the solemnization of said marriage and report to next meeting. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Luke Collins proposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Elizabeth Foster they accordingly appeared in this meeting and declared their intentions of taking eachother in marriage Lydia Wilbur and Susan C Kay are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage and report to next meeting. At an adjournment of So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 10th of 5 mo 1841 the committee appointed to enquire into Elizabeth Fosters clearness respecting marriage report that they find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriag with Luke Collins by keeping to the good order of society Elizabeth Peckham and Hannah H[illegible] are appointed to attend the solemnization of said marriag and report to next meeting.

Hannah Hazard Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meeting of women friends held at So Kingston 24 of 5 mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary A Collins Phebe Foster Hannah Carpenter Mercy D Lockway Judith F Peckham and Amy Knowls and Eunice Foster being called are present except one. The representatives to quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment the committee appointed to attend the marriage of Luke Collins and Elizabeth Foster report it was orderly conducted. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Joseph Mitchell proposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Elizabeth B Kay they accordingly appeared in this meeting and expressed their intentions of taking each other in marriage Phebe Foster and Elizabeth Peckham are appointed to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage and report to next meeting

This being the usual time for the appointment of overseers for society the
representatives from the several preparative meetings have proposed Mary A
Collins Lydia Wilbur Hannah Carpenter Ann Brown Mary Ann Collins &
Eunice Foster & Lois Perry who being united with are appointed to that service
for the ensuing year men friends uniting therein. This being the usual time
for the appointment of Clerk Susan C. Ray is appointed to that service for the ensuing y
This meeting concludes to adjourn to meet at Hopkinton two weeks from tomorrow
at one o'clock in the afternoon. 6mo 8th 1841 Met agreeable to adjourn
-ment The committee appointed to enquire into Elizabeth B. Rays clearness respecting
marriage report that ~~they think it orderly~~ find nothing to prevent her procee
-ding in marriage with Joseph Mitchell by keeping to the good order of society
Mary A Collins and Lydia Wilbur are appointed to attend the solemnization of
such marriage and report to next meeting. The committee appointed to attend the marriage
William A Stedman & Mary C Kenyon report it was orderly conducted Susan C Ray Clerk

At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at
So Kingston 21st of 6 mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present ~~the rep~~
except one the representatives are Mary Dockray Hannah Carpenter Elizabeth
Watson & Hannah M Babcock who being called are present. The committee appoin
to attend the marriage of Joseph Mitchell and Elizabeth B Ray report that they
think it was pretty orderly conducted

Hannah Hazard Cl for the day

At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at So
Kingston 26 of 7 mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are
Hannah Carpenter Ruth H Hazard Lydia F Collins Gulielma Collins Lois Perry
and Eunice Foster being called are present The queries have been read at this time
succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from which we have compiled the
following as descriptive of the present state of this meeting and transmit therewith
the account to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by Elizabeth Peckham and Amy Knowles
whom we appoint representatives. Hopkinton Preparative meeting
informs that Elizabeth Collins wife of Luke Collins having removed to live
within the limits of Smyrna Mo Meeting requests our certificate this
meeting appoints Lydia F Collins and Gulielma Collins to make the neces
-sary enquiry and if nothing appears to prevent to prepare one and produce
to next meeting. Hopkinton Preparative meeting also informs
that Elizabeth B Mitchell wife of Joseph Mitchell requests a

removal Certificate to Nantucket Mo Meeting. Lydia T. Collins and Gulielma Collins are appointed to make the necessary enquiry and if nothing appears to prevent to prepare one and present to next meeting

Hannah Hazard Clk for the day

At South Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 23 of 8 mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Hannah Hazard Thankful Kenyon Deborah Collins Elizabeth Peckham and Ruth Anne Foster, whose names being called are present except two, the representatives to quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment

The committee appointed have produced certificates in favour of Elizabeth Collins and Elizabeth B Mitchell which are acceptable to this meeting. The Clerk is directed to record and forward the same which are as follows.

To Smyrna Mo Meeting of friends

Dear Friends Elizabeth Collins wife of Luke Collins having removed within the limits of your Monthly Meeting requests our Certificate these are to certify that she is a member of our religious Society of examplary life and conversation a diligent attender of meetings when circumstances would admit and on enquiry her outward affairs appear to be settled to satisfaction as such we recommend her to your Christian care and oversight with desires for her preservation and growth in the truth

Signed on behalf of So Kingston Monthly of Friends held at Hopkinton 23 of 8 mo 1841

By Timothy C Collins
Susan C Ray
Clerks

To Nantucket Mo Meeting of friends

Dear Friends Elizabeth B Mitchell wife of Joseph Mitchel having removed to live within the limits of your meeting requests our Certificate. This is to inform that she is a member of this meeting having settled her outward affairs to satisfaction we recommend her to your Christian care and oversight. Signed in and on behalf of So Kingston Mo meeting of friends held at Hopkinton 23 of 8 mo 1841 By

Timothy C Collins
Cl

Read at this time the New york and Philadelphia Epistles also Extracts from our last yearly meetings minutes together with a report of the Boarding School committee to satisfaction Susan C Kay and [illegible] are appointed to prepare certificates for those who may wish to attend the Boarding School

Susan C Kay Clerk

9th mo At South Kingston mo Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 9th mo 1841 from preparative accounts received the representatives are Hannah Hazard Ruth H Hazard Mary A Collins Deborah Collins Eunice Foster and Amy Knowles; whose names being called are present except two who sent satisfactory reasons for their absence. This meeting is informed that Mary C Shearman requests a removal certificate to Swansey mo meeting. Phebe Foster and Mary A Collins are appointed to make the necessary enquiry and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one and present to next meeting; the assistant clerk is continued until the next year. Read at this time the Indianna and North Carolina Epistles to satisfaction. S C K Clerk

At S Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 25 of 10th mo 1841 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary Ann Collins Hannah Carpenter Phebe Foster Amy Sheffield Lois Perry and Elizabeth Peckham being called but three are present two of whom sent satisfactory reasons for their absence. The queries have been read in this meeting and answers selected descriptive of the present state of Society which we forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Mary Ann Collins and Amy Knowles whom we appoint representatives the committee appointed have produced a certificate in favour of Mary C Shearman which is accepted the Clerk is directed to forward the same which is as follows.

To Swansey mo meeting of friends

Dear friends Mary C Shearman wife of William Shearman having removed to Fall River to live with her husband a place within the limits of your meeting; requests our Certificate; This is therefore to certify on her behalf that she is a member of our society and it appears by enquiry that she has settled her temporal concerns with us to satisfaction; as such we recommend her to your Christian care and attention and are your friends

Signed by order and on behalf of South Kingston mo meeting of friends held at Hopkinton 26 of 10 mo 1841

by Susan C Kay Clerks
Timothy C Collins.

Read at this time an Epistle from Ohio yearly meeting to satisfaction

At South Kingston Mo Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 11 mo 1841. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Hazard Hannah B Williams Thankful Collins Lydia Wilbur Eunice Foster and Elizabeth Peckham, being called three are absent two of whom rendered satisfactory reasons for their absence; One of the representatives to quarterly meeting informs they attended agreeable to appointment

At South Kingston preparative meeting informs that Hannah Chappel has transgressed friends rules by marrying with one not a member of society Elizabeth Peckham and Lois Perry are appointed to visit her on said account and report to next meeting. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that John and Lydia Wilbur requests that their granddaughter Susan F. Wilbur a child under their care may be admitted a member of our society.
This meeting after considering the subject has concluded to grant the request she is therefore admitted a member of our society her only surviving parent has advised thereto. Read at this time the Virginia and Baltimore epistles to satisfactio

S C Ray Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friend

held at Western 27 of 12th mo 1841. Preparatives accounts being being present the representatives are Mercy Dockray Hannah Carpenter Susan C Ray Thankful Collins Dorcas Babcock and Lois Perry whose names being called are present except one who sent a reasonable excuse for her absence
The committee appointed to visit Hannah Reed formerly Chappel on her transgression report that they found her in a tender frame of mind but not disposed to make friends satisfaction this meeting therefore concludes to deny her her right of membership until she shall return and make friends satisfaction unto friends uniting therein Read at this time the London printed Epistle to satisfaction.

Susan C Ray Clerk

At South Kingston Mo Meeting of women frien

held at Western 24 of 1 mo 1842 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Hazard Mercy Dockray Lydia F. Collins Susannah Cole Sarah Green and Elizabeth Browning whose names being called are present except one who sent a satisfactory reason for her absence
The queries with the answers have been read in this meeting and these selected which appear to comprise the present state of of society which we forward with the account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Elizabeth Peckham and Susan C Ray whom we appoint representatives
Our beloved friend Nathan Douglas is in attendance at this meeting with a certificate from Durham mo meeting expressive of their unity with him in his labours, whose company and religious exercise has been acceptable to us at this time

S C R Clerk

At South Kingston mo meeting

of women friends held at Western 21st of 2 mo 1842 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Hazard Hannah Carpenter Bathsheba Collins Thankful Collins Elizabeth Browning and Elizabeth Peckham who being called are present except one The representatives to quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment.

Thankful Collins assistant Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of women friends held at Western 28 of 3 mo 1842 Preparative accounts being present the representatives Mercy Dockray Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur Amy Sheff Dorcas Babcock and Elizabeth Peckham being called are all present

Susan C Ray Clerk

At South Kingston mo Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 25th of 4 mo 1842 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Jane Hazard Lydia F Collins Susan C Ray Amy Knoles and Lois Perry being called are present. The queries succeeded by answers from each of our preparative meetings have been read in this. from them we have selected those that appear to comprise the state of this meeting and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Lois Perry and Eunice Foster whom we appoint representatives. Received at this time an extract from our last yearly meeting minutes concerning the appointment of a committee to visit subordinate meetings and individuals which has been read in presence of part of the committee.

Susan C Ray Clerk

At So Kingston mo Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston 23 of 5 mo 1842. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary Dockray Ruth Hannah Hazard Lydia Wilbur. Phebe Foster Hannah M Babcock and Amy Knowls being called are present except one. Representatives to quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment.

This being the usual time for the appointment of overseers for society the representatives from the several preparative meetings have proposed Hannah Carpenter Mary Ann Collins Lydia Wilbur Mary A Collins Eunice Foster and Lois Perry who are appointed to that service for the ensuing year men friends uniting therein.

The appointment of some friends to oversee the poor coming befor this meeting Hannah Carpenter Elisabeth Peckham and Susan C Ray are appointed to take the necessary care of such friends for the ensuing year. Hopkinton preparative meeting informs that Solomon W Kenyon proposes publishing his intentions of marriage with Elizabeth W Wilbur befor this meeting. they accordingly appeared in this meeting and declared their intentions of taking each other in marriage which this meeting takes notice of and appoints Susannah Cole and Mary Ann Shove to enquire into their clearness respecting marriage and report to next meeting. Hopkinton preparative meeting also informs that Alice Wilbur and Mary Ann Wilbur requests a removal certificate to Dartmouth mo meeting. Lydia Wilbur and Susan C Ray are appointed to make the necessary enquiry and if nothing appears to prevent to prepare one and present to next meeting. The appointment of Clerk coming befor this meeting Susan C Ray is appointed to that service for the ensuing year

Susan C Ray Clerk

At South Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at in So Kingston 27th of 6 mo 1842. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary Ann Collins Dorcas B Robinson Lydia Wilbur Lydia S Collins Dorcas Babcock and Elizabeth Watson being called are present except one who sends a satisfactory reason for her absence. The committee appointed to enquire into Elizabeth W Wilburs clearness respecting marriage report that they find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with Solomon W Kenyon by keeping to the good order of society Rachel Collins and Lydia S Collins are appointed to attend the solemnization of said marriage and report to next meeting. The Committee appointed have produced a certificate in favor of Alice Wilbur and Mary Ann Wilbur which is accepted by this and mens meeting and is as follows Dorcas B Robinson is appointed to forward the same

To the monthly meeting of friends at Darthmouth

Dear friends

Alice Wilbur and Mary Ann Wilbur

Certificate Alice and Maryanne Wilbur

having removed to New Town meeting within your limits, requests our certificate These are to certify on their behalf, that they are members of our society and whilst with us so far as appeared, their lives and conversation were orderly and were diligent attenders of our religious meetings; and by enquiry it appears that they have settled their temporal concerns to satisfaction, and are clear of marriage engagements amongus, As such we recommend them to your care and acceptance and are your friends

Signed on behalf of South Kingston mo meeting of friends held 27 of 6 mo 1842

By Susan C Ray
Samuel Sheffield
Clerks

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held in So Kingston 25th of 7th mo 1842 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mercy P Dockray Hannah Carpenter Lydia Wilbur Susan C Ray Lois Perry and Elizabeth Peckham being called are present. The queries have been read in this meeting succeeded by answers to the ~~Susan C Ray Clerk~~ first second and tenth, from which we have selected those most descriptive of the present state of society and are to forward them with the account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Amy Knowls and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint representatives. Read at this time an extract from our last yearly meetings minutes respecting the appointment of a committee to visit subordinate meeting and individuals in reference of Elisabeth Wing one of the committee whose company is acceptable

The assistant clerk Thankful Collins not being present at the time of appointing clerks is now appointed to that service for the ensuing year, The committee appointed to attend the marriage of Solomon W Kenyon and Elizabeth W Wilbur not all being present it is difered

Susan C Ray Clerk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held ~~at Kingston~~ Hopkinton 22nd of 8th mo 1842 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Mercy P Dockray Amy Sheffield Lydia F Collins Amy Knowles and Dorcas Babcock whose names being called are present except two who sent satisfactory reasons for their absence, Representatives to quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment. Read at this time an Extract from the minutes of our last quarterly meeting respecting the appointment of a committee to labour in conjunction with the Yearly meetings committee for the preservation of right order and the promotion of love and unity, which has been read, who are Lois Anthony Joanna Peck Lydia C Smith Mary Williams Ann Hopkins Hannah Almy Mary Hazard Phebe H Holder four of whom are acceptably in attendance,

The committee appointed to attend the marriage of Solomon W Kenyon and Elizabeth W Wilbur report it was orderly conducted and the certificate is handed to the clerk for record.

Susan C Ray Clerk

At South Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 26 of 9th mo 1842. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mercy P Dockray Jane Hazard Susannah Cole Phebe Foster Eunice Foster and Lois Perry being called are present except two, for whose absence a satisfactory reason has been rendered. Read at this time an Epistle from our own yearly meeting to its subordinate meetings also an Epistle from Ohio yearly meeting together with a report of the boarding school committee which gives leave to send Schollars the same as last year.

Susan C. Ray Clerk

At So Kingston Mo meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 10th mo 1842 Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Hannah Carpenter Jane Hazard Mary A Collins Lydia Wilbur Amy Knowles and Elizabeth Watson whose names being called are present. The queries have been read in this meeting succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from which we have selected those most descriptive of the present state of society and transmit them with an account to the ensuing quarterly meeting by Lydia Wilbur and Thankful Collins whom we appoint representatives.

Epistles from Philadelphia Baltimore Virginia New York Indiana and North Carolina have been read to satisfaction

Susan C Ray Clerk

At So Kingston mo meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 21st of 11th mo 1842. Preparative accounts being present the representatives are Mary Ann Collins Hannah Hazard Thankful Kenyon Susannah Cole Elizabeth Peckham and Amy Knowls whose names being called are present. the representatives to quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment. This meeting unites with our men friends in appealing to the yearly meeting against the decision of the quarterly meeting also unite with them in suspending the monthly meeting until the decision of the yearly meeting

Susan C Ray Clerk

~~At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends~~

So Kingstown 26th of 7th mo 1847. Received and read the following Minu from our last Quarterly Meet,g, the Joint Committee of Men and Women Frien appointed in ~~6th~~ mo last to take into consideration the request of So Kingstown Preparative Meet,g; presented a report; which we concur with men friends in accepting — and it is our conclusion to grant that a Mo Meet,g convene at So Kingston on second day before the last fifth day in 7th mo next Elizabeth Meader Elizabeth Wing Hannah C Robinson and Mary Sho are appointed to Unite with a similar Committee of Men Friends in attending the opening thereoff, and report at our next Meet,g Extracted from the Minutes of Rhode Isleand Quarterly Meet,g of Women Friends held at Greenwich the 6th of 5th mo 1847.

Sarah Searl Clerk for the day

So Kingston 7th mo 26th 1847. Received and read the report of our last Quarterly Meet,g Committee together with a Minute informing us that they were united in establishing a Mo Meet,g at So Kingston the first to be held at Towerhill ~~Hill~~ Meet,g House on second day before the last fifth day in seventh Mo next Composed of So Kingston and Hopkingtown Preparative Meet,gs, and agreeable to the above Minute the Meet,g became Organized, the accounts being present from the 2 Preparative Meet,gs the Representatives therein named being called are Mary Ann Collins Amy Knowles Lucy F Collins and Mary W Collins whose names being called are present. Elizabeth Peckham being named for Clerk and the Meet,g uniting therein is accordingly appointed for the day. The Queries were read and a summary to the 1st 2nd and 10th prepared discriptive of the present State of Society, which we forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meet,g by Lois Perry and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint Representatives the Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this Minute. This Meet,g and the Quarterly Meet,gs Committee of Men Friends conferring together on the subject of holding our Mo Meet,g in future propose that it be held the next four Mo,s at Hopkington the next four at Western and the following four at Towerhill.

The appointment of Overseers for Society coming before this Meeting the Representatives are requested to bring forward the names of some friends, for that station to our next Mo Meeting

At So Kingstown Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo 23rd 1847. Preparative Accounts being received the Representatives therein named are for Hopkingtown Lydia F. Collins and Thankful Collins, for So Kingston Amy Knowles and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present. — The Representatives to attend our last Quarterly Meeting informed they attended. This Meeting is informed that Lois Anthony Wife of Asa Sherman Jun requests a Removal Certificate to Swanzey Mo Meeting Dorcas Babcock and Maryann Collins are appointed to take the necessary care respecting it, and if nothing appears to prevent prepare one and produce it at our next Mo Meet,g. We are also informed that Hannah R. Wife of John D. Williams requests a removal Certificate for herself and four Children to Rhode Isleand Mo Meeting we appoint

Lois Perry and Mary Ann Collins, to take the necessary care respecting it and if nothing appears to obstruct to prepare one for them and produce at our next Mo Meeting. The nomination of Overseers for Society and Overseers for the Poor, Coming before this Meeting the following friends are named for that service Overseers for Society for So Kingstown Lois Perry ~~and~~ Dorcas Babco and Mary Ann Collins, and Jane Hazard and Elizabeth Peckham for the Poor for Hopkingtown Mary A Collins and Deborah Collins for Society for the poor Martha Collins which being United with by this and Men Friends are accordingly appointed to that service for the ensuing year

The Representatives have allso proposed Hannah M Babcock for Clerk and Lucy F Collins for assistant and they being united with are accordingly appointed for the ensuing year

Received and read at this time the report of the Boarding School Committee and we appoint Elizabeth Peckham and Lucy F Collins to take the necessary care that friends Children are suitably clad to attend the Institution and proper subjects therfor allso to furnish them with Certificates required

At So Kingstown Mo Meetg of Women Friends held at Hopkingtown 27th of 9th mo 1847. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are for So Kingston Elizabeth Peckham and Amy Knowles Hopkingtown Lucy F Collins and Electa Jane Collins all present except one. The Clerk being absent Thankful Collins is nominated for the day.

The Committee to prepare a Certificate for Lois A Sherman have presented one which is satisfactory and the Clerk is directed to sign record and forward the same on our behalf having the unity of Men friends therein which is as follows

Lois A Sherman's Certificate

To Swanzey Mo Meeting of Friends
Dear Friends

This is to ~~Certify~~ inform that Lois Anthony Wife of Asa Sherman Jun having removed to live within the limits of your Mo Meeting, requests our Certificate this is to Certify on her behalf that she is a Member of this a frequent attender of Meetings, and on enquiry it appears that her temporal concerns are settled to satisfaction and nothing appears to prevent her having our Certifiate, We recommend her to your christian care and attention, and are your friends. Signed on behalf and by direction of So Kingstown Mo Meetg held at Hopkingtown 27th of 9th mo 1847

Wm S. Perry Correspondent by Timothy C. Collins
Thankful Collins for Day Clerks

Certificate Hannah B Williams and Children

At So. Kingston Mo. Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkington 25th of 10th mo 1847. Preparative accounts being present, the Representatives therein named are for Hophington Mary W Collins and Mary A Collins for S. Kingston Jane Hazard and Hannah M Babcock who being called are present

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g and answers prepared to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we forward to the ensuing Meeting by Deborah Collins and Elizabeth Peckham Whom we appoint representatives to attend said Meet,g and report to next Meet,g.. Hophingtown Preparative Meeting informs that James N. Fry proposes publishing his intentions of Marriage with Mary E Munroe before this Meet,g they having at this time produced a written communication signed by both declareing their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage, Mary W Collins and Deborah Collins are appointed to enquire into Mary E Munroes clearness respecting and report to next Meet,g.

The friend appointed to forward Hannah, B. Williams and Childrens and Lois A Shermans Certificates informed, they had attended there to

At South Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkington 11th month 22d 1847 Preparative accounts being present, the Representives are from South Kingston Elizabeth Browning and Lois Perry from Hopkington Martha Collins and Rachel Collins, being called are present accept one for which a satisfactory reason was rendered

The representives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting report that they attended.

The Commitee appointed to enquire into Mary E Munroes clearness respecting mariage engagements, report that they find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marreage with Jame N Fry, they haveing consent of parents are left at liberty to accomplish said marriag by keeping to the order order of Friends, Rachel Collins and Mary A Collins are appointed to attend the Solemnization therof and report to our next Monthly meting.

Receivd and read at this time the London printed Epistle containing much equitent Counsil and encouragement. Our men Friends inform that they had taken udder consideration the subject of discontinning Tower Hill week day meeting under existing circumstances. we appoint Mary A Collins Deborah Collins and Lois Perry to unite with men Friends in considering the subject and report to our next monthly meeting

At South Kingston monthly meeting of Women Friends held at Western 12th mo 27 1847 Preparatives accounts present the Representitives therein named are from South Kingston Amy Knowls and Jane Hazard being calle ~~[illegible]~~ from Hopkington Thankfull Collins and Electa Jane Collins being calld. two present The commitee appointd to attend the Marriage of James N Fry and Mary E Munroe report that they attended to their appointment and it was oderly conducted

The committee appointed to unite with men Friends in considering the subject of discontinuing Tower Hill mid week meeting not being ready to report the case is continued under their care

Read at this time Extracts from our last yearly meetings minuits also an esay of an Epistle from London yearly meeting containing Salutary counsil and encouragement.

Hannah M Babcock Clk

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Western 24th of 1st mo 1848. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are for So Kingston Elizabeth Browning and Amy Knowles Hopkington Mary A Collins and Electa J. Collins, being called are present exc;ht except two for whom satisfactory reasons were rendered. The Queries have been read in this Meet,g succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 11th from our Preparative Meet,gs from which we have selected those we believe to be descriptive of our present state; and transmit them to the ensuing Quarterly Meeting by our Representatives who are Elizabeth Peckham Rachel Collins and Lois Perry whom we appoint to attend said Meet,g and report to our next Meet,g

Hopkington Preparative Meet,g informs that Thankful Collins proposes publishing her intentions of Marriage with John Spencer they having produced a written Communication declareing their intentions of takeing each other in Marriage Signed by both we appoint Rachel Collins and Mary Ann Collins to enquire into her clearness respecting marriage and report at our next Mo Meeting. The Committee appointed to consider the subject of discontinuing Tower Hill week day Meet,g, Report; that they think best to discontinue the week day Meet,g, except Preparative Meet,g

Received the following Communication from Dartmouth Preparative and Mo Meet,g informing that Phebe Wife of Daniel Wilbur has united with the Separatists requesting our attention to the subject, and we appoint Mary

Ann Collins Rachel Collins and Elizabeth Peckham to visit her on that account and repor
at a future Meet,g

To So Kingston Mo meet,g of Women Friends
Dear Friends
We received the followin
information from the north Preparative Meet,g (to Wit)
To Dartmouth Preparative and
Mo Meet,g of Women Friends, This may inform that Pheba Wife of Daniel Wilbur
has removed with her Husband to reside within the limits of (Greenwich now So Kingston
Mo Meet,g of friends R.I. and that she has Identifyed herself with those who receded from
our Society by attending their Meet,gs in 1845 - Since which time we understand she has
wholly neglected the attendance of Meet,gs belonging to our religious Society
Signed Sarah Tucker } Overseers
Anne Collins }
Copy of the Complaint Mary Gifford
Dartmouth 12th mo 14th 1847

Which being read and considered of, it was
concluded to forward the above information from our Overseers to So Kingston Mo
Meet,g of Women Friends requesting them to extend the necessary care in the case in our
behalf and to forward to us the result of their doings. And the Clerk is directed to
transmit a copy of this Minute, together with the information from the Overseers to
So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends, Signing the same on behalf of this Meet,g
Taken from the Minutes of Dartmouth Mo Meet,g } Mary Gifford Clerk
of Women Friends held 12th mo 22d 1847. by }
George Almy Correspondent

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at So Kingston
2nd mo 21st 1848. Preparative Accounts present the Representatives named
therein are Amy Knowles Jane Hazard Mary D Collins and Mary W
Collins present except one which was prevented by sickness
Two of the Representatives appointed to attend Quarterly Meet,g
report they attended
The Committee appointed to enquire into Thankful
Collins clearness respecting Marriage engagements, report that they find
nothing to prevent her proceeding in Marriage with John Spencer by keeping
to the good order of friends they having produced consent of Parents. We appoint
Martha Collins and Rachel Collins to attend the solemnization thereof and
report to our next Meet,g
The Committee appointed to visit Phebe Wilbur
not being ready to report it is continued under their care
Hannah M Babcock Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Westerly 27th of 3 mo
1848. Preparative Accounts being present, the Representatives therein
named are for Hopkinton Thankful Spencer and Deborah Collins for
So Kingston Elizabeth Browning and Dorcas Babcock whose names being
called are present except one, being prevented by indisposition
The Committee appointed to attend the Marriage of John Spencer
and Thankful Collins report that it was orderly conducted
Read at this time a salutary Epistle from Indiana Y Meet,g

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at So Kingston 24th 4 mo 1848. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives named are from So Kingston Lois Perry and Mary Ann Collins for Hopkington Rachel Collins and Deborah Collins whose names being called are present except one

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g and answers from our preparative Meet,gs from which we have compiled the following answers which we believe to be descriptive of the present State of this Meet,g and forward them by our Representatives Deborah Collins E. Peckham and Mary ann Collins whom we appoint to attend the ensuing Q Meet,g and report to our next Mo Meet,g the Clerk is directed to forward an extract of this Minute

The Committee appointed to visit Phebe Wife of Daniel Wilbur made the following report which is accepted having the Unity of Men friends therein the Clerk is directed to forward said report to Dartmouth Mo Meet,g with a Copy of this Minute

To So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends

We your Committee appointed some time since to labor with Phebe Wife of Daniel Wilbur on account of a complaint brought against her, report that one of us have visited and labored with her on that account and that she manifested no disposition to make friends satisfaction for her outgoings we are therefore united in the view that no good will result from her being longer continued in Membership with us

Richmond 4th mo 22nd 1847

Rachel Collins
Elizabeth Peckham
Mary Ann Collins

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at So Kingston 22d of 5th mo 1848. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Amy Knowles Lois Perry Thankful C Spencer and Electa J Collins being called are present

This Meet,g is informed that the Representatives to attend the Quarterly Meet,g informed they attended

The Clerk informed this Meet,g that she had forwarded the report of the Committee respecting Phebe Wilbur to Dartmouth Mo Meet,g with a copy of the Minute as directed

Received a removal Certificate ~~of~~ from Oswego Mo Meet,g in favor of Ruth Ann Collins wife of Peter H Collins which has been read is accepted and is as follows

Ruth Ann Collins Certificate

To So Kingston Mo Meet,g

Dear Friends

Ruth Ann Collins having removed and settled with her Husband within the limits of your Meet,g requests our Certificate this is to certify on that she is a Member of this Meet,g and by enquiry we find has settled her outward concerns to satisfaction we therefore recommend her to your Christian care and remain your friends

Signed in and on behalf of Oswego Mo. Meet,g of friends held at Pokeepsie Dutchess County N. Y. the 15th of 3rd mo 1848.

Stephen Moore
Correspondent

by { Daniel S. Congdon
Catharine Irish } Clk's

At South Kingston Mo. Meet,g of Women Friends held in So. Kingston 26th of 6th mo, 1848. Preparative Accounts being present the representatives therein named are for So Kingston are Jane Hazard and Dorcas Babcock for Hopkington Deborah Collins and Electa J. Collins whose names being called are present

Received a communication from Dartmouth mo Meet,g informing they had disowned Phebe Wilbur requesting this Meet,g to inform her thereof. We appoint Thankful C Spencer to inform her and report to this Meet,g. Read at this time a very acceptable Epistle from Ohio Y. Meet,g

At So. Kingston Mo. Meet,g of Women Friends held at So. Kingston 24th of 7th mo. 1848. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are for So. Kingston Amy Knowles and Elizabeth Peckham for Hopkington Martha Collins and Mary A Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g succeeded by Answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we believe to be descriptive of the present state of this Meet,g and we transmit them to the ensuing Quarterly Meet,g by our Mary Ann Collins Martha Collins and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint to attend said Meet,g and report to our next Mo Meet,g

The friend appointed to inform Phebe Wilbur Wife of Daniel of her being disowned her right of Membership in our religious Society not being ready to report, it is continued under their care

Read at this time an acceptable Epistle from N York Y. Meet,g

At So. Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo 28th 1848 Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein are from So. Kingston Amy Knowles and Dorcas Babcock Hopkington Rachel Collins and Thankful C Spencer whose names being call'd are present This Meet,g is informed that two of the Representatives to attend Quarterly Meet,g informed they attended a satisfactory reason rendered for the ~~other~~ absence of the other

The friend appointed to inform Phebe Wilbur wife of Daniel Wilbur that she was denied the right of Membership in our religious Society reports that she has attended to that appointment. The time having expired for which the Overseers were appointed the Representatives propose Mary A Collins Deborah Collins Dorcas Babcock Lois Perry and Mary Ann Collins Overseers for [illegible] Jane Hazard ~~and~~ Elizabeth Peckham and Martha [illegible] Overseers of the poor, which meets the approbation of this [illegible] they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year having the [illegible] of men friends therein. The time having expired for which the clerk and assistant were appointed the Representatives propose the reappointment of Hannah W. Babcock for Clerk and Thankful Spencer for assistant which this Meet,g unites with and they are appointed for the ensuing year

The report of the Boarding School Committee has been acceptably read at this time, we appoint Elizabeth Peckham and Eletta Jane Collins to unite with Men friends to select children that appears most suitable to go as Mo,, Meet,g Scholars also grant Certificates of recommendation to them and others that may be placed at that school

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkington 9th mo 25th 1848. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives are Jane Hazard and Hannah W. Babcock Hopkington Lucy F. Collins Martha Collins two of them ~~[illegible]~~ present one of them sent a satisfactory reason for her absence. Read at this time a transcript of an Epistle from North Carolina Y. Meet,g which is very acceptable and edifying

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo 23rd 1848 Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Thankful Spencer and Eletta J Collins Lois Perry and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present

The [illegible] have been read in this [illegible] Meet,g and Answers to the 1st 2nd and 8th prepared which have [illegible] to the ensuing quarterly Meet,g with an account by Lois Perry Eletta J Collins and Martha Collins whom we appoint to attend the ensuing Quarterly Meet,g to be held at [illegible] and report to our next Meet,g

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkington 11th mo 22nd 1848 Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Lucy [illegible] Babcock Lucy F Collins and Thankful Spencer whose names being called are present but one; the Representatives to Quarterly Meet,g report they attended. read at this time transcript of an Epistle from N. York Y Meet,g and Extracts from our own Y Meet,g [illegible] which is acceptable

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Westerly Meet,g House 12 mo 25th 1848 Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are from So Kingston Jane Hazard and Elizabeth Peckham Hopkington Rachel Collins and Eletta Jane Collins whose names being called are present Read at this time an Extract of an Epistle from Ohio Y Meet,g which is acceptable

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A Certificate in favor of Edward Sheffield to N York mo Meet,g was united with

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Western Meet,g House 22nd 1st mo 1849. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are Elizabeth Browning Hannah M Babcock Rachel Collins and Shankful C Spencer whose names being called are all present except one for whom a Satisfactory reason was rendered.

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we believe to be descriptive of the State of this Meet,g and are to forward to our next Quarterly Meet,g with this Account by Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry and Electa J Collins whom we appoint Representatives to attend the ensuing Quarterly Meet,g and report to this Meet,g. Read at this time an Extract of an Epistle from London yearly meeting which is Acceptable

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Western Meet,g House in So Kingston 19th of 2nd mo 1849. Preparative Accounts present Representatives named therein are Lois Perry Mary ann Collins Lydia Collins and Electa J Collins whose names being called are present except ~~two~~ ~~abs~~ one of which sent satisfactory reasons for their absence. The Representatives to last Quarterly Meet,g inform they attended agreeable to appointment.

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Western Meet,g House 26th of 3rd mo 1849. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are Elizabeth Peckham Elizabeth ~~[illegible]~~ Browning Lucy Collins and Electa J Collins whose names being called are present except one

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Western Meet,g House 23rd of 4th mo 1849. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are for So Kingston Lois Perry Hannah M. Babcock Deborah Collins and Lydia F Collins, whose names being called are present except one a satisfactory reason rendered for her absence

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g succeeded by the Answers which we believe to be descriptive of our present state and transmit them with an ~~account to the~~ Quarterly Meet,g by Elizabeth Peckham and Rachel Collins our Representatives whom we appoint to attend said Meet,g and report to our next Mo Meet,g

HopKington Preparative Meet,g informs that Mary E. Fry wife of James C. S. Fry has removed to live with her Husband within the limits of Bolton Mo Meet,g and we propose sending her a Certificate, we appoint Thankful C. Spencer and Lydia F Collins to prepare one and present to a future meet,g. Our Esteemed friend Elizabeth Peckham opened in this Meet,g a prospect of attending New York yearly Meet,g, which claiming the consideration of this Meet,g, is united with she being a Minister in Unity with us; the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a Copy of this Minute

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at So Kingston 5th mo 28th 1849. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are from So Kingston Jane Hasard and Lois Perry HopKington Mary A Collins and Mary L Collins whose names being called ~~are all~~ present a satisfactory reason rendered for the absence of one this Meet,g is informed that the Representatives appointed to attend our last Q. Meet,g attended

Read at this time an acceptable Epistle from Baltimore Y. Meet,g.

At S.o Kingston Mo. Meet,g of women friends held at S.o Kingston 25th of 6 mo 1849 Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named ther are Jane Hazard Lois Perry Thankful C Spencer and Electa J. Collins wh names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned

Received at this time the returning Minute of o Esteemed Friend Elizabeth Peckham from New York Y Meet,g of Minist and Elders expressive of their satisfaction of her Visit and Gospel lab

The Committee appointed to prepare a Certificate for Mary C Fry not being ready to report it is deferr,d under their care

S.o Kingston preparat Meet,g informs that Elizabeth Browning formerly foster has transgressed Friends rules by connecting herself in Marriage with one not a Member of our society ~~also~~ neglected the attendance of our religious Meet,gs and United herself with the separatists, manifested no disposition to make friends satisfaction neither wished to be retained a Member amongus which after due consideration we think best to deny her the right of Membership hav the unity of men friends therein, We appoint Lois Perry to inform her thereo

Received at this time a Certificate in favor of Amy Fry from Bolton M ~~Meet,g~~ which is deferred

At S.o Kingston Mo. Meet,g of Women Friends held at S.o Kingston Mo. Meet,g 23rd of 7th mo 1849 Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Amy Knowles Mary D Collins and Lydia F. Collins whose names being called are present except one

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we believe to be descriptive of the present state of this Meet,g and are to forward them to the ensuing Q Meet,g by Mary D Collins and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint to attend the ensuing Q. Meet,g

The Committee appointed to ~~attend the ensuing~~ prepar a removal Certificate for Mary C. Fry to Bolton Mo. Meet,g have produced one which is acceptable Mens Meet,g concurring therein the Clerk is directed to record and forward the same

The Certificate in favor of Amy Fry produced at a form Meet,g is deferr,d untill another month

the friend appointed to inform Elizabeth Browning formerly foster of her disownment informed she had attended thereto

To Bolton Mo. Meet,g of Friends

Dear Friends

Mary C. Fry having removed to live with her husband James N. Fry within the limits of your Meet,g We certify on her behalf that she is a Member of this Meet,g and was diligent in the attendance thereoff while with us, and her outward affairs are settled to satisfaction as such we recommend her to your Christian care and oversight and are your friends

Signed on behalf and by direction of S.o Kingston Mo. Meet,g held at S.o Kingston 23rd of 7th mo 1849 Wm. S Perry Correspondent

by Timothy C Collins Clerk
Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day

The Friends appointed to inform Elizabeth Browning formerly Foster of her disownment inform,d they had attended thereto

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 8th mo 1849. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Amy Knowles Hannah M Babcock Eleta J Collins and Thankful C Spencer whose names being called are present. The Representatives appointed to attend Q. Meet,g report they attended

Received a Certificate of removal from Bolton Mo Meet,g in favor of Amy Fry which being read by both Meet,gs is accepted and is as follows the Clerk is directed to record the same

To So Kingston Mo Meet,g

Dear Friends

Amy Fry having removed within the limits of your Meet,g this may certify on her behalf that she is a Member in unity with us, a Diligent attender of Meet,gs when in health, and of an orderly life and conversation and has settled her outward affairs to satisfaction as far as appears; as such we recommend her to your Christian care

Signed by direction and on behalf of Bolton Mo Meet,g of Friends held 25th of 4th mo 1847 — — — John E Fry
Sarah C Fry } Clerks

James N Fry Correspondent

Hopkington Preparative Meet,g informs that Lydia Bradley has absented herself from our Meet,gs and joined with those of the separatists, the Overseers having labored with her on the account, and not manifesting any desire to remain longer a Member with us, ~~and further requested that a Committee would be appointed~~, after considering the subject we disown her the right of Member-ship, Mens Meet,g concurring therein Lucy F Collins is appointed to inform her thereoff. The time having expired for which the Overseers were appointed and names being presented by the Representatives this Meet,g thinks best to defer the appointment to our next Mo Meet,g

Received and read at this time the report of the Boarding School Committee and we appoint Rachel Collins and Elizabeth Peckham to unite with Men Friends in selecting such Children as appear suitable to go as Mo Meet,g Schollars also to grant Certificates of Recommendation to them and others that may be placed at that School. The time having expired for which the Clerk and assistant were appointed Hannah M Babcock is appointed Clerk and Thankful C Spencer assistant for the ensuing year

So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 24 1849. Preparative accounts being present Representatives therein nam,d are from So Kingston Lois Perry and Hannah Hopkington Deborah Collins and Lucy F Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indispo-sition. Lucy F Collins inform,d this Meet,g that she had informed Lydia Bradley of her disownment. The subject respecting Overseers for Society being revived in this Meeting Dorcas Babcock Lois Perry Mary Ann Collins Mary A Larkin Deborah Collins and Mary W Collins are appointed to that service for the ensuing year having the Unity of men Friends therein Jane Hazard Elizabeth Peckham and Martha Collins are appointed Overseers of the poor for the ensuing year Extracts from our last Y Meet,g Minutes have been read containing much good Counsel and advice which is acceptable to this Meet,g

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10mo 22nd 1849. Preparative Accounts being present Representatives nam thereon from So Kingston are Dorcas M Babcock and Lois Perry Hopkingto Mary A Collins and Mary D Collins all presen except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered.

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from whi we have selected the following as descriptive of our present state an transmit them with the account by Thankful C Spencer and Dorca Babcock whom we appoint Representatives to attend the ensuing Q Meeting and make report next Mo. Read at this time Epistles from the Y Meet,gs of London and Dublin which is acceptable to this Meet,g

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkington 11th mo 26 1849 - Preparative Accounts being present Representatives named from So Kingston are Elizabeth Peckham and Hannah M Babcock Hopkington Mary W. Col and Mary A Collins whose names being called are present

one of the Representative to Quarterly Meet,g inform,d that she attended the other being prevented by indispo-sition in her family. An acceptable Epistle from Ohio Y. Mo. has been read a this time

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at the West Meet,g House in So Kingston 1st mo 28th 1850 Preparative Accounts being present Representatives therein named are from So Kingston Elizabeth Browning and Hannah M Babcock Hopkington Mary A Collins and Ruth A Collins whose names being called are present except one

The Queries have been rea in this Meet,g succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th Queries from which we have selected the following which we believe are ~~but~~ descriptive of the present state of this Meet,g, and transmitt them with this Account by our Representatives Elizabeth Peckham and Ruth Ann Collins whom we appoint to attend the ensuin Q. Mo. and report to our next Mo Meet,g.

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at the Western Meet,g hous in So Kingston 2nd mo 25th 1850. Preparative accounts being present Representa-tives named therein are from So Kingston Margarett Wistar and Jane Hazard from Hopkington Rachel Collins and Thankful C Spencer whose names being called are present except one. The Representatives appointed to attend Q. Mo. report that they attended agreeable to appointment - read at this time an Epistle from Indianna Y. M. which is very acceptable to us

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Western Meet,g House 25th of 3rd mo 1850. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are from So Kingston Elizabeth Peckham and Elizabeth Browning Hopkington Electa Jane Collins and Thankful C Spencer whose names being called are present except one. Read at this time an acceptable Epistle from N. Y. Yearly Meet,g

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at So Kingston 22nd of 4th mo 1850. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are from So Kingston Mary Ann Collins and ~~Rachel Collins~~ Jane Hazard from Hopkington Martha Collins and Rachel Collins whose names being called are present. The queries and Answers have been read in this Meet,g which we forward with an account to the ensuing Quarter to be held at Greenwich, by Mary Ann Collins and Rachel Collins our Representatives whom we appoint to attend said Meet,g and report to our next Meet,g

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held 27th of 5th mo 1850 Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein nam,d are from So Kingston Dorcas Babcock and Lois Perry Hopkington Eleta J Collins & Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except two satisfactory reasons were rendered for them, this Meet,g is informed that the Representatives appointed to attend Q Meet,g report that they attended

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at So Kingston 24th of 6th mo 1850 Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are from So Kingston Dorcas Babcock and Lois Perry, Hopkington Deborah Collins and Rachel Collins whose names being called are present

At So Kingston ~~held~~ Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at So Kingston 21st of 7th mo 1850. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Lois Perry and Elizabeth Peckham Hopkington Deborah Collins and Mary D. Collins whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were assigned Hopkington Preparative Meet,g informs that Mary Kenyon now Burdick has transgressed our Discipline by Marrying out of Society Elizabeth Peckham and Mary Ann Collins are appointed to see her thereon and make report to next Meet,g. The Queries have been read in this Meet,g and answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th agreed on which we forward to the ensuing Q M by Mary Ann Collins and Elizabeth Peckham ~~whom~~ our representatives whom we appoint to attend the ensuing Q Meet,g and make report to next Meet,g

This Meet,g is informed ~~through~~ by our Men friends that they have United with the gift and public appearance in the Ministry of Timothy C. Collins with which we also unite

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at Hopkington 26th of 8th mo 1850. Preparative accounts present, representatives therein named are Mary A Collins Lois Perry Mary A Collins and Martha Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition The Committee appointed to visit Mary Burdick not being ready to report it is deferr,d under their care This Meet,g is informed that one of the Representatives appointed to attend Q. M. attended. The time being expired for which the Overseers of society were appointed the Representatives have proposed the following names for that service Dorcas Babcock Lois Perry Mary Ann Collins Mary A Collins Deborah Collins and Mary W Collins for the year ensuing Overseers of the poor are Jane Hazard Elizabeth Peckham and Martha Collins whose names being satisfactory to the Meet,g they are accordingly united with by this and Mens Meet,g for the present year. The time having expired for which the Clerk and assistant were appointed, they are reappointed to that service for the ensuing year

Our Men Friends have proposed that So Kingston Preparative Meet,g should be held in future at So Kingston in which this Unites

Received and read the report of the Boarding School Committee has been read, and Lois Perry and Mary L Collins to select such Children as may think suitable to receive the benefit of that fund, and forward the names to the Committe

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held 9th mo 23d 1850. Preparative accounts present Representatives named therein are M A Collins Elizabeth Peckham Deborah Collins and Mary W Collins who being called are present The Committee ~~in the case~~ to visit Mary Burdick informs they have paid some attention thereto, not being redy to report it is referr,d under their care

Read at this time Epistles from Baltimore and Indianna Y. M.s which are acceptable

So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at Hopn 10th mo 28th 1850. Preparative accounts present Representatives named therein are Lois Perry Hannah M Babcock Mary W Collins and Mary A Collins, whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition

The Committee to visit Mary Burdick not being ready to report it, deferr,d under their care

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g succeeded by Answer to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we forward to the ensuing L Meet,g to be held at Sommersett by Lois Perry and Deborah Collins our Representatives whom we appoint to attend ~~the~~ said Meet,g and report to our next Mo Meet,g. the printed Epistle from London Y. M. containing excellent council has been acceptably read at this time

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkington 25th of 11th mo 1850 Preparative accounts being present the Representatives named therein are Elizabeth Peckham Hannah M. Babcock Mary D. Collins and Phebe C Munroe whose names being called are present.

The Committee appointed to visit Mary Burdick not being ready to report it is deferred under their care One of the Representatives appointed to attend Quarterly Meet,g report they attended. The Extracts from our last Y. Meet,g has been read we hope to our edification

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at Wester Meet,g house 23d of 12th mo 1850 Accounts from our preparative Meet,gs being present the Representatives named therein are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Thankful C Spencer and Eliza [illegible] Collins whose names being called are present except one

The Committee to visit Mary Burdick not being ready to report, it is deferred under their care to a future Meet,g

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women Friends held at Western Meetg House 1st mo 27th 1851. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are Jane Hazard Hannah M Babcock Deborah Collins and Rachel Collins whose names being called are present. The Queries have been read in this Meetg and answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we forward to the ensuing Q. M. to be held at Providence for Rhode Island by Deborah Collins Rachel Collins and Lois Perry our Representatives whom we appoint to attend said Meetg and make report to our next Mo Meetg

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women friends held at Western in So Kingston 24th of 2nd mo 1851. Preparative accounts present the Representatives named therein are Jane Hazard Dorcas Babcock Mary D Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present. this Meetg is informed that two of the friends appointed to attend the Q. Meetg attended the other was prevented by indisposition

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women friends held at Western Meetg H. in So Kingston 24th of 3rd mo 1851. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are Lois Perry Hannah M. Babcock Electa J Collins and Mary W. Collins whose names being called are present except one whom was rendered a satisfactory reason therefor

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women friends held at So Kingston 21st of 4th mo 1851. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives named therein are Dorcas Babcock Elizabeth Peckham Thankful C. Spencer and Electa J Collins whose names being called are present except one The Queries have been read in this Meetg with answers from our Preparative Meetgs from which we have compiled the following which we forward to the ensuing Q. M. by Hannah Knowles and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint to attend said Meetg and report to our next Meetg

Hannah M Babcock Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women friends held in So Kingston 26th of 5th mo 1851. Preparative Accounts present Representatives named therein are Mary Ann Collins Hannah M Babcock Mary A Collins and Margaret Hall whose names being called are present. One of the friends appointed to attend Q. M. report they both attended. This Meetg is informed that Amos W. Collins with his Wife and family have removed to live within the limits of Bolton Mo Meetg and request our Certificate Martha Collins and Lois Perry are appointed to join a Committee of men friends to prepare ~~a Certificate~~ one and present at a future Meetg

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women friends held in So Kingston 23rd of 6th mo 1851. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas Babcock Phebe C Munroe and Deborah Collins whose names being called are present except one

The Committee appointed have produced a Certificate for Amos W. Collins Wife and Minor Children which is approved by both Meetgs

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women friends held in So Kingston 27th of 7th mo 1851. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry Deborah Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one who rendered a a reasonable excuse for her absence. The Queries with answers from the several preparative Meet,gs have been read in this from which those have been selected that appear nearly to comprise the present state of Society and are to forward them to the ensuing Q. Mo. by Lois Perry and Hannah Knowles our Representatives whom we appoint to attend said Meet,g

Our Esteemed friend Ruth Davis forwarded to this Meet,g a minute of Concurrence from Newbedford Mo Meet,g expressive of their Uni with her as a Minister, and her concern to visit the families of friends of thi Mo Meeting that service has been accomplished to our satisfaction and comfort an the Clerk is desired to furnish her with a Copy of this Minute

This Meet,g is informed ~~is informed~~ by the Meet,g of Ministers and Elders that they have proposed Lois Perry to the Station of an Elder this Meet,g after deliberating thereon are United therein in the appointment men friends concurring therein

Received and read at this time the report of the Boarding School Committee which is acceptable, and we appoint Mary D. Collins and Lois Perry to take the necessary care in furnishing Certific and rendering suitable advice that their apparel be in conformity to said report as required. read at this time the Epistle of 1850 from N. York which has been salutary to our feelings

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 8th mo 1851. Preparative Accounts being present the representatives there named are, Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Mary D Collins and Mary A Coll whose names being called are present. One of the Representatives appointe to attend Q. Mo reports she attended the other being prevented by indisposit in her family. The Committee appointed in 7th mo 50 to visit Mary Burdick presented the following report. We your Committee appointed to visit Mary Burdick on account of her deviation in marrying contrary to the or of friends, have had several opportunities with her on that account and she not manifesting any disposition to remain with friends; our Judgment is that she be testifyed against; all which we submit to the Mo Meet,g of Women friends to be held at Hopkinton

Hopkinton 25th of 8 mo 1851

Elizabeth Peckham
Mary Ann Collins

which is satisfactory to this Meet,g and disown unity ~~with~~ her as a Member of our religious society, having the concurrence of mens Meet,g therein

Thankful C Spencer is appointed to inform her thereof and report to next Mo Meet,g

The time having expired for which the Overseers were appointed the Representatives propose the reappointment of those that served last year with the addition of Hannah Knowles Overseers for the poor are Jane Hazard an Elizabeth Peckham and Phebe C Munroe which being united with having the approbati of Men's Meet,g therein. The time having expired for which the Clerks were appointed Hannah M Babcock and Thankful C Spencer are appointed to that service for the ensu year. Read at this time an Epistle from London Y. Mo to its Junr Members containing much good counsel and advice.

At So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women held at Hopkinton 22d of 9th mo 1851. Preparative Accounts present the Representatives therein nam,d are Jane Kar and Hannah Mc Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Lydia F Collins whose names being called are present except ne The friend appointed to inform Mary Burdick of the decision of this Meetg nforms she has attended thereto. The London Printed Epistle has been read at this time also an essay of an Epistle from London Y. Mo. and one from Ohio Y. Mo. all of which have been very acceptable and Salutary to us

South Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 27th f 10th mo 1851. Preparative accounts present the Representatives therein named are Anna A Gould Lois Perry Mary W Collins and Lydia F Collins. being are present except one who rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence. The Queries have been read at this time and answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th prepared which we forward to the ensuing Q. Mo to be held at Sommerset by our Representatives Martha Collins Elizabeth Peckham and Rachel Collins whom we appoint to attend said Meet,g and report to our next Mo Meet,g A part of the Y. Mo. Committee appointed to visit subordinate Meetgs are acceptably in attendance at this time with a Copy of Minutes from the Y. Mo. Minutes. read at this time an acceptable Epistle from Baltimore Y. Mo. containing instructive council

So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at Hopkington 24th of 11th mo 1851. Preparative accounts present the Representatives named therein Mary Ann Collins Dorcas y Babcock Deborah Collins and Margaret L Hall all present except one who renders a satisfactory reason for her absence We are informed that 2 of the Representatives attended Q. M. the other was prevented by indisposition in her family. We have received and read at this time Extracts from our last Y. M. Minutes also Epistles from London Dublin New York and Baltimore which is very acceptable and interesting to us Mary L Collins Clerk for the day

So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at Western Meet,g H 22nd of 12th mo 1851. Preparative Accounts present, the Rep~~present~~ therein nam,d are Elizabeth Peckham Hannah M Babcock Mary L Collins and Deborah Collins whose names being called are present read at this time an acceptable Epistle from Baltimore Yly Meet,g dated 49 also one from North Carolina Y. Mo. both of which have been acceptable to this Meet,g

So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at W. M. H. in So Kingston 25th of 1st mo 1852. preparative accounts present the Representatives named therein are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Mary L Collins and Deborah Collins whose names being called are present except one which was prevented by indisposition

The Queries have been read in this Meet,g and answers to the first 2nd and 10th which we forward to the Q. Mo. by our Representatives Elizabeth Peckham and Mary L Collins whom we appoint to attend said Meet,g and make report to our next Meet,g

So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women friends held at Western M. H. in So Kingston 23rd of 2nd mo 1852. Preparative Accounts present the Representatives therein nam,d are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Electa Jane Collins Mary L. Collins whose names being called are present. Representatives to Q Mo report that one attended the other was prevented by indisposition Mary L Collins Clerk for the day

So Kingston Mo Meet,g of Women Friends held at the Western Meet,g House in So Kingston 3rd mo 27th 1852. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein nam,d are Mary A. Perry Elizabeth Peckham Electa J. Collins and Margaret L Hall all present Received and read a Certificate from Unity Mo Meet,g in behalf of Mary Winslow Collins Wife of Peleg C. Collins which is accepted having the Unity of those friends therein the Clerk is directed to record the same [illegible] separation [illegible]

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Received and read at this time the report of the Y Meeting Boarding
hool which is satisfactory to this Meeting, and we appoint Ruth [illegible]
is and Lois Perry to have the care of granting Certificates to such as may
laced in that Institution

To So Kingston Mo Meet.g

Mary Kinslow Collins having remo within the limits of your Mo Meet.g requests her Certificate. This may certify that she is a Member of this Meet.g and a frequent attender thereof, whilst here of an orderly life and conversation, and has settled her outward affairs to satis-faction, we recommend her to your Christian care and oversight

Signed in and by direction of Unity Mo Meet.g of Friends held at Albion 1st mo 15th 1852.

Joseph Faber Correspondent

Joseph Faber } Clerks
Lydia R Faber }

So Kingston Mo Meet.g of Women friends held at So Kingston 1st 4th mo 1852. Preparative Accounts being present. the Representatives therein named are from So Kingston Mary ann Collins Hannah M Babcock from Hopkinton Mary D Collins and Elicta Jane Collins whose names being called are present

The Queries have been read succeeded by the Answers which we forward to the ensuing Quarterly Meet.g to be held at Greenwich by our Representatives Mary D Collins ~~and~~ Jane Hazard and Hannah Knowles whom we appoint to attend said Meet.g and make report to our next Mo Meet.g

So Kingston Mo Meet.g of Women friends held at So Kingston 20 of 5th mo 1852. Preparative Accounts present, the Representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Hannah M. Babcock Deborah Collins and Elicta J Collins present except one who was prevented by indisposition

Representatives appointed to attend Q. Meet.g informed they attended

Received and read a removal Certificate from Greenwich Mo Meet.g in favor of George Shove Gould and family, which is accepted

So Kingston Mo Meet.g of Women Friends held in So Kingston 20th of 6th mo 1852. Preparative accounts being present the Representatives are Elizabeth Peckham Dorcas Babcock Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins present except one who sent a reasonable excuse for her absence

So Kingston Mo Meet.g of Women Friends held at So Kingston 7th mo 26th 1852. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckh

So Kingston Mo Meet.g of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo 23d 1852. Preparative Accounts being present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Mary D Collins and Mary A Collins whose names being called are all present one of the Representatives appointed to attend Q. Meet.g reports that she attended the other 2 were prevented by indisposition

The Committee appointed to visit Sarah Ky Green formerly Knowles presented the following report which is accepted and we disown her the right of Membership of our religious society until she shall return and make friends satisfaction having the unity of Men friends therein Mary D Collins is appointed to inform her thereof

The time having expired for which the Overseers were appointed the Representatives propose the following names Hannah Knowles Mary Ann Collins Dorcas Babcock Lois Perry Mary A. Collins and Deborah Collins Overseers of Society, Jane Hazard Elizabeth Peckham and Ruth A Collins for Overseers of the poor which being United with they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year Men friends concurring therein

the time having expired for which the Clerks were appointed Hannah M Babcock is appointed to that service for the ensuing year and Mary D. Collins assistant Clerk for one year

So Kingston Mo. Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 27th 1852. Preparative Accounts present the Representatives therein named are Lois Perry Mary Ann Collins Mary W Collins and Mary A. Collins whose names being called are all present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is rendered ~~the her absence~~. × Mary D Collins informed this Meetg that she had attended to her appointment

Mary D Collins assistant Clerk

So Kingston Mo. Meetg of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo 25th 1852. Preparative Accounts present the Representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Elizabeth Peckham Mary A Collins and Electa J Collins whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read in this Meetg answered by answers from each of our Preparative Meetgs from which the following summary has been compiled describing our state which we are to forward to the ensuing Q Meetg by Mary Ann Collins and Deborah Collins our Representatives

Mary D Collins assist. Clerk

At So Kingston Mo Meetg of Women friends held at Hopkinton 22nd 11th mo 1852. Preparative Accounts being present the Representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas Babcock Electa J Collins whose names being called are all present one of the Representatives to Q Meetg informed that they attended

read at this time the Extracts of our last Yearly Meetg minutes also an Epistle from London Y. Meetg we trust to our Edification and comfort

Our Esteemed friend Timothy G Collins opened in this Meetg a concern which had for some time rested on his mind to attend the approaching Q. Meetg of Canada and some Meetgs within the limits of said Quarter also to appoint some Meetings if way should open for it which this Meetg unites with and he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect as truth may direct

Mary D Collins assistant Clerk

At So Kingston Mo. Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston Western meeting hous 27th of 12th mo 1852. Preparative accounts being present the representatives named therein are Jane Hazard Dorcas Babcock Anna A Gould & Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are all present. Read at this time an Epistle from Dublin Yearly Meeting of women friends which is instructing to us.

Our Esteemed friend Timothy Clark Collins opened in this Meeting a prospect which had for some time rested upon his mind to attend the approaching Quarterly Meeting of Sandwich and to attend most of the meetings constituting it also to appoint some if way should open for it, which this meeting unites with and he is left at liberty to attend thereto the assistant Clerk is directed to sign the Certificat

Mary D Collins Assistt

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 27th of 12th mo 1852. Preparative accoun present the representatives named therein are Jane Hazard Dorca Babcock Anna A Gould & Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are all present, Read at this time an Epistle from Dublin Yearly Meeting of women friends which is instructing to us.

Our Beloved friend Timothy Clark Collins has returned the minute that was granted him at our last Monthly Meeting and informed us that he had performed the the visit to the relief and comfort of his own mind he also produced a returning minute from Sandwich Quarterly meeting which is satisfactory to us.

Mary D Collins Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston Western meeting house 24th of 1st mo 1853. Preparative accounts presen the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Mary D Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are all present

The Queries have been read in this Meeting succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth which we believe comprises the present state of this Meeting and are to forward them with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by our representatives Elizabeth Peckham and Mary D Collins.

Read at this time an acceptable epistle from New York Yearly Meeting also one from Baltimore which is interesting and instructing to us.

Mary D Collins Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 2 mo 21st 1853 Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry Mary D Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are all present except one who was prevented by indisposition The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they both attended.

Mary D Collins Assistant Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 3rd mo 28th 1853 Preparative accounts present the representative therein named are Jane Hazard Lois Perry Deborah Collins & Mary D Collins whose names being called are all present.

Hopkinton preparative Meeting of women friends inform that one of the Overseers presented a complaint against Thankful C Spencer Lois Perry & Jane Hazard are appointed a committee to visit her & report to a future Meeting the complaint is as follows

To Hopkinton Preparative Meeting
of women friends,

Dear Friends,

I think the time has come when you should be informed that Thankful C Spencer through Disaffection has totally neglected the attendance of our meetings for religious worship for more than one year, much labor has been bestowed in the case yet she has not complied with the most important part of the advice given her by those whose duty it was to advise her.

William S Perry one of the Overseers, North Stonington 3rd mo 19th 1853.

The Clerk of this Meeting having become disabled to attend to the services ~~of this~~ incumbent upon her so this Meeting concludes to appoint Mary D Collins to that service for the remainder of the year.

Mary D Collins Clk

515. At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingston 25th of 4th mo 1853. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas Babcock Lois Perry Mary D Collins & Mary A Collins whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is rendered. The committee appointed to visit Thankful C Spencer inform that they have paid some attention to the case but are not ready to report.

The Queries have been read at this time & succeeded by the answers from our Preparative Meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our state and the Clerk is desired to transmit the same to our next Quarterly Meeting by Anna A Gould & Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint our representatives.

South Kingston preparative Meeting of women friends inform that one of the Overseers presented a complaint against Dorcas Browning formerly Foster for uniting herself in marriage with one not a member of our Society Jane Hazard and Dorcas Babcock are appointed a committee to visit her and report to our next Monthly Meeting.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingston 5th 23rd 1853. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Mary A Collins & Mary D Collins whose names being called are present [illegible] the representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended.

The committee appointed to visit Thankful C Spencer present the following report which is accepted and we disown her a right of membership with us, haveing the unity of men friends therein.

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends, Agreable to appointment we have visited Thankful C Spencer on account of a complaint brought against her last month, and find it to be sustained. The idea of being disowned from society seemed to be trying to her, yet she gave no encouragement of altering the course that she has for some time persued in not attending our meetings for ~~worship~~ religious worship.

And after laboring to the extent of the ability afforded we have come to the conclusion that usefulness cannot arise in continueing her a member, which we submit to the Monthly meeting.

South Kingston 4 mo 16th 1853.

Jane Hazard)
Lois Perry) commit

The committee appointed to visit Dorcas Browning formily Foster report as follows, which is accepted and we disown her a right of membership haveing the approbation of men friends herein.

We your committee appointed to visit Dorcas Browning formily Foster on account of uniting herself in Marriage with one not a member have had an opportunity with her on the subject she treated us very respectfully and prefered that a minuet of disownment should be made against her, with which we unite, All of which submit to the Monthly meeting of women friends next to be held at South Kingsto 23rd of 5th mo 1853.

Dorcas Babcock
Jane Hazard

The Clerk is desired to inform them both of the decision of this meeting

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingtow Monthly meeting of women Friend held at South Kingston 27th of 6th mo 1853. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Dorcas Babcock Deborah Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reasons is assigned

The Clerk informs that she has given the information to Thankful C Spencer and Dorcas Browning that they are disowned from our religious society.

Our esteemed Friend Cordelia Bayes from Great Britan attended this meeting, her company and religious labors of love have been truly acceptable to us. We also have the acceptable company of our beloved friend Hannah Murray of New York in company with our friend Cordelia Bayes. Our esteemed friend James Brown in company with Cordelid Bayes is in attendence of this

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Meeting with a minute of concurrence from Amawalk Monthly Meeting expressive of their unity with him in his present ~~[illegible]~~ engagements, his company and religious labors has been acceptable to us.

Mary D, Collins, Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingston 25th of 4th mo 1853. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Deborah Collins whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from which the following summary is compiled describing our state, and the Clerk is desired to transmit the same to our next Quarterly Meeting by Elizabeth Peckham and Electa Jane Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

Read at this time acceptable Epistles from North Carolina Ohio and Indiana Yearly Meetings of women friends which is interesting and edifying to us. We unite with our men friends in the denial of Rowland Hazard from our religous Society.

Received and read at this time the report of the Boarding School committee and we appoint Mary A, Collins and Mary D Collins to have the charge of sending scholars to said school and also to furnish that Committee with the names of such as are suitable candidates for the benefit of the charitable school fund.

Our beloved friend Timothy Clark Collins opened in this meeting a prospect which had for some time rested upon his mind to visit in Gospel love the Quarterly Meetings of Salem Dover & Falmouth attend some meetings within their limits and appoint some if way opens for it which claiming the deliberate consideration of this meeting was fully united with and he left at liberty to proceed therein as best wisdom may direct he being a minister in unity with us, the Clerk is to sign the minute prepared by our men friends.

Mary D. Collins, Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton the 22nd 1853, Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Margaret T Hall whose names being called are present, The Representatives to Quarterly meeting informs they attended agreeable to appointment.

The time being ~~expire~~ expired for which the Clerk was appointed Mary D Collins is therefore appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The time being expired for which the Overseers were appointed the representatives propose the following names Mary Ann Collins Dorcas Babcock Lois Perry Mary A Collins & Deborah Collins as Overseers of Society, Jane Hazard & Ruth Ann Collins for Overseers of the Poor which is united with and they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year having the approbation of our men friends.

Our Esteemed friend Elizabeth Peckham opened in this meeting a prospect which had for some time rested upon her mind to visit in Gospel love the Quarterly Meetings of Dover Fairfield & Vassalboro attend some Meetings within their limits and to appoint some, if way opens for it which claiming the deliberate consideration of this Meeting is united with and she is left at liberty to pursue her prospect as best wisdom may direct she being a Minister in unity with us having the unity of our men friends therein.

Mary D. Collins, Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women
519 Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 26th 1853.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Elizabeth Peckham Deborah Collins & Mary W Collins whose names being called are present except one

Our esteemed Friend Elizabeth Peckham returned at this time the minute granted her last month with the information that she has attended to the Services to the comfort and relief of her own mind she also produced returning minutes from the several Meetings attended viz Dover Vassalboro and Fairfield Quarterly Meetings also from Unity Vassalboro and China Monthly Meetings which is a satisfaction to us.*

Our beloved friend Timothy Clark Collins returned at this time the minute granted him by this Meeting in the seventh month with the informatio that he had accomplished the servicesto the Peace and comfort of his own mind, he also presented to this Meeting returning minutes furnished him, by Salem Dover and Falmouth Quarterly meetings also from Ware Monthly Meeting, expressive of their satisfaction with his company and religious services which is acceptable to us. Mary D Collins Clk

**Our beloved Friend Elizabeth Peckham attended this Meeting with a certificate of concurrence from South Kingsto Monthly Meeting, her company and religious services have been satisfactory to us.

by direction of Dover Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Berwick
8th mo 26th 1853. Olney Thompson
Benajah Buffum Correspondent Lydia Thompson Clks

Our beloved friend Elizabeth Peckham
attended this Meeting, presented a satisfactory
copy of a minute from South Kingston Monthly
Meeting of friends R. I.

Her company and religious
services have been acceptable and satisfatry to us.
and the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a
copy of this minute.

From the minutes of Vassalboro
Quarterly Meeting of Friend, held 9th mo 9th 1853.

Joseph H. Cole
Ann Elmira Lang } Clerks

Daniel Taber Correspondent.

Our beloved friend Elizabeth Peckham
attended this meeting with a copy of a
minute from South Kingston Monthly
meeting held at Hopkinton R. I.
Her company and religious services have
been satisfactory to us.

Signed in and by
direction of Fairfield Quarterly Meeting
of Friends held at Kennebec 9th mo 7th 1853
by George Richardson
Lucy T. Hawkes } Clerks

David Douglas Correspondent

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting
Our beloved friend Elizabeth Peckham in the
ministry acceptably attended this Meeting
x approbation from your meeting her company &
with a minute of unity and x religious services
have been satisfactory to us.
Taken from the minutes of China Monthly
Meeting of friends held 13th of 9th mo 1853.

Stephen Jones
Mary C Jones } Clerks

Stephen Jones Correspondent

* Our beloved friend Elizabeth Peckham attended this Meeting and presented a copy of a minute from South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends, Rhode Island: Her company and religious services have been acceptable and satisfactory to us, and the Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute.

From the minutes of Vassalboro monthly meeting of Friends held at East Vassalboro 9th mo 14th 1853.

Joseph H Cole }
Rachel B Nichols } Clks

Daniel Taber Correspondent.

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Our beloved Friend Elizabeth Peckham attended this Meeting with a minute of the unity and concurrence of South Kingston monthly meeting her company and religious services are satisfactory to us.

From the minutes of Unity monthly meeting of Friends held at Albeon 9th mo 15th 1853.

William Taber } Assistant
Almira Hansen } Clerks

Joseph Taber is our correspondent

At South Kingston monthly meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo 24th 1853, Preparative accounts present the Representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas Babcock Mary A Collins and Ann A Gould whose names being are present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting and succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our state, and the Clerk is desired to transmit the same to our next Quarterly Meeting by Lois Perry and Mary D Collins whom we appoint our Representatives.

Hopkinton preparative meeting of women friends inform that the Overseers presented a complaint against Mary Collins widow of Isaac Collins and her daughter Nancy Collins for non attendance of our meetings and uniting with the separatists they not wishing to be members this Meeting concludes to disown them their right of membeship untill they shall return and make satisfaction haveing the unity of men friends herein and Mary D Collins is appointed to inform them the decision of this meeting.

To Hopkinton Preparative Meet

Dear Friends

This is to inform you that Mary Collins and her daughter Nancy Collins have for several years past totally neglected the attendence of our meetings for religious worship and discipline, and attended those of the separatists, we have had an opportunity with them, they treated is very handsomely, but said ~~they~~ they were satisfied with the course they had taken and expected to persue the same did not wish to be considered members of our society, were willing to be disowned without being visited by a committee. Hopkinton 9th mo 27th 1853.

on behalf of the Overseers Lois Perry

523 Hopkinton preparative meeting of women Friends inform that Thankful Kenyon haveing neglected the attendence of our meetings for Religiou worship and Discipline haveing been visitted on that account by one of the Overseers, gives no satisfaction for sodoing and we think best to make a minute against her, she is therefore disowned a right of membership with us untill she shall return and make friend satisfaction, haveing the approbation of men friends herein. Mary D Collins is appointed to inform her that she is denied from the soceety of friends.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 21th 1853. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Deborah Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is assined, the representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreable to appointment. Mary D Collins informed this meeting that she has attended to the appointment of last month

Mary D Collins, Clk

Hopkinton preparative meeting of women friends inform that they have received complaints against Sarah & Ruth Sheffield Mary A Rathbun & Mary F Collins we appoint Lois Perry Mary D Collins & Anna A Gould a committee to visit the above named [illegible] persons and report to our next monthly meeting, their state.

Hopkinton 11th mo 17th 1853

Dear Friend

Sarah and Ruth Sheffield having united with the Seceders [illegible] who separated several years since and stay not manifesting an intrest in the attendance of friends Meetings by doing so we believe the time has come that it is right for us to inform the monthly Meeting, feeling satisfied we cannot restor them to unity. It is our judgement that benefit will not arise from continuing them members of society all of which we submit [illegible] for your consideation

Deborah Collins
one of the Overseers.

Hopkinton 11th mo 17th 1853.

Dear Friends

Mary A Rathbun has for seveal years absented herself from Meetings or uniting with friends and we being satisfied that we cannot restore her believe it best to bring her case before the Monthly Meeting it being our judgment that benefit will not arise from continuing her a member desiring friends to take it into consideration and act according to their Judgment.

Deborah Collins one of the Overseer

Hopkinton 11th mo 17th 1853

Dear Friends

Mary F. Collins wife of Ephraim C Collins united herself with those who separated from the Society of Friends haveing attended their meeting and neglected to meet with friends entirely. We are satisfied benefit cannot arise from continuing her a member of the society of friends

Deborah Collins
one of the Overseers

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 12th mo 26th 1853 Preparative accounts to present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Lois Perry Mary A Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present except one for which a satisfactory reason is rendered.

The committee appointed to visit Sarah & Ruth Sheffiled Mary A Rathbun and Mary F Collins Present the following report, which this meeting unites with and concludes to disown them their rights of membership from the society of friends having the unity of men friends.

To So„ Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends, Agreeable to our appointment we have had an opportunity with Sarah Sheffield and find the charges prefered against her to be correct and she not in a state of mind to make friends satisfaction for her transgressions and we are united in judgment that usefulness will not be likely to arise by continuing her a member, which we submit to the Monthly Meeting.

Lois Perry
on behalf of the committee

To So„ Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends. Agreeable to appointment we have had an opportunity with Ruth Sheffield we find that she has not attended our meetings for several years; she stated to us that she had neve attended any of those of the separarist, but thougt best tobe with her mother in sentiment and made no satisfaction for her transgression, we are united in judgment that usefulness will not be ~~arise to~~ likely to arise by continuing her a member of society, which we submit to the Monthly meeting

on behalf of the committee Lois Perry

To So. Kingston Mo. Mee. of women friends. Agreeable to appointment we have had an opportunity with Mary A Rathbun and find the charges prefered agains her to be correct and she not feeling disposed to make friends satisfaction for her transgression we think well of her being dismissed from society which we submit to the Mo. meeting.

on behalf of the committee Lois Perry.

To So. Kingston Mo. Mee. of women friends We have visited Mary H Collins and find the charges prefered against her to be correct, and she not in a state of mind to make friends satisfaction for her transgression, we think that usefulness will not be likely to arise by continuing her a member of society which we submit to mo. meeting.

on behalf of the Committee Lois Perry.

This meeting unites with our men friend in disowning George S Kenyon Rowland R & Peter Rathbun their rights of membership from the society of friends. read at this time the extracts from our last Yearly Meeting minutes which is very acceptable to us.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Westerly 1st mo 23rd 1854. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas G Babcock Lois Perry Deborah Collins & Anna A Gould whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is rendered.

The Queries have been read at this time and succeeded by the answers from our Preparative Meetings, from which the following summary is compiled describing our state, and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary D Collins & Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint our representatives.

The Clerk has informed Sarah & Ruth Sheffield Mary A Rathbun and Mary F Collins that they are disowned from the society of friends.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Westerly 2nd mo 20th 1854. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Browning Elizabeth Peckham Mary D Collins & Margarett T Hall whose names being called are present except one. the representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended. Read at this time a transcrip of an Epistle from London yearly Meeting of women friends which is very interesting and instructing to us.

Mary D Collins Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 27th of 3rd mo. 1854.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas G Babcock Elizabeth Peckham, Mary D Collins & Margaret T Hall whose names being called are present except one for which a satisfactory reason is assigned, read at this time Epistles from Dublin & New York Yearly Meetings of women friends which is instructing to us and we hope that we shall be benefited thereby.

Mary D Collins Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 4th mo 24th 1854. preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas Babcock Debrah Collins and Anna A Gould, whose names being called are present except one who rendered a satisfactory reason therefor.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our Preparative Meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our state. and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Jane Hazard and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint our representatives.

Elizabeth Peckham Clk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 22th of 5th mo 1854. preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Anna A, Gould whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition, the representatives to Quarterly meeting inform they attended. E P Clk [illegible] the day

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At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of wom
friends held at South Kingston 26th of 6th mo
1854. Preparative accounts present the
representatives therein named are Dorcas Babcock
Mary Ann Collins Deborah Collins and Electa Jane
Collins whos names being called are present except
one who rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence.

Our beloved friend Nathan C Hoag is in attendance
of this Meeting with a minute of concurrence from
White Water Monthly Meeting of friends Indiana held
1st mo 25th 1854 and endorsed by the Quarterly
Meeting held at Milford 3rd mo 4th 1854 expressiv
of their unity with [illegible] ministry and his present
religious engagements; his company and labors of love
are acceptable and satisfactory to us.

Our beloved friend
Abigail K Hoag in company with her husband
Nathan C. Hoag attended this Meeting with a
minute of concurrence from White Water Monthly
Meeting of friends in Indiana expressive of their
unity with her ministry and her present religious
engagements; her company is acceptable and
satisfactory to us.

Our esteemed friend
Elizabeth Page is in attendance of this
Meeting with a minute of concurrence from
Weare Monthly Meeting held at Henniker
5th mo 11th 1854 expressive of their unity with
her as a minister and with her present
religious engagement, her company is
acceptable and satisfactory to us.

Mary Page is in
attendance of this Meeting in company with our friend
Elizabeth Page her company is acceptable and
satisfactory to us.

Also a ~~m~~ minute in favor of Joel Batty from Ferrisburgh Monthly Meeting of friends held at Monkton 5th mo 3rd 1854 and endorsed by Ferrisburgh Quarterly Meeting held at Monkton Vermont 5th mo 10th 1854 expressive of their concurrence and unity with him in his proposed visit, — his company and religious services have been acceptable to us. The clerk is directed to prepare and forward ~~w~~ minutes for our respective friends.

Elizabeth Peckham Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown 24th of 7th mo 1854.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas G Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read at this time and succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our state, and we to transmitran the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Lois Perry Dorcas G Babcock whom we appoint our Representatives.

Received and read at this time the report of the Bording school committee Mary D Collins and Lois Perry are to select scholars that are suitable to attend the school.

Mary D Collins Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo 28th 1854

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas Babcock Margaret T Hall and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present, the representatives meeting inform they attended.

The time being expired for which the Clerk was appointed Mary D Collins is therefore reappointed to that service for the ensuing year and Dorcas G Babcock is appointed assistant Clerk for one year.

The time being expired for which the Overseers were appointed the Representatives propose the following names, So Kingston Mary Ann Collin Western Lois Perry & Dorcas G Babcock [illegible] Hopkinton Mary A Collins & Deborah Collins as Overseers of Society; Jane Hazard & Ruth A Collins for Overseers of the poor which is united with and they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year, having the approbation of our men friends Read at this time the London printed Epistle of 1852 which is instructing and interesting to us.

Mary D Collins Clk

At So Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 7th mo 1854 preparative accounts present the Representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry Deborah Collins & Margaret T Hall whose names being called are present Hopkinton preparative meeting of women friends informs that the Overseers presented a complaint against Emeline L Taylor formerly Knowles for uniting herself in marriage with one not a member of our society Mary D Collins Ruth Ann Collins and Deborah Collins are appointed as a committee to visit her and report to our next Monthly Meeting.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23rd of 10th mo 1854.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Elizabeth Peckham Deborah Collins & Electa Jane Collins whose names being Called are present.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our Preparative Meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we are to transmit them with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Lois Perry Deborah Collins and Mary Ann Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

One of the committee appointed to visit Emeline L Taylor informs they are not read to Report and it is continued under their care.

Read at this time the London printed Epistle of 1853, which contains much pertinent council and may we profit thereby.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 11th mo 1854.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Jane Hazard Lydia F Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present, except two one of which Rendered a satisfactory Reason for her absence, the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informes that two of them attended the othe was prevented by indisposition. The committee appointed to visit Emeline L Taylor inform that they have not been able to find her for she left where she has been staying very soon after they were appointed and has not returned.

It is continued under their care.
Read at this time the extracts from the minuets of our last Yearly Meeting which is instructing to us, we unite with our men friends in the denial of Abel C. Kenyon.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingstown, Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 25th of 12th mo 1854.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Elizabeth Peckham Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one.

The committee appointed to visit Emeline L Taylor have paid some attention to it but are not ready to report it is continued under their care.
Read at this time Transcripts of Epistles from Baltimore Ohio and Indianna which binds the sisterly feelings more closely together, and is as face answering to face.

Mary D Collins, Clk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 22nd of 1st mo 1855.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Browning Dorcas Potter Mary D Collins and Electa Jane Collins, whose names being called are present except two for whom satisfactory reasons are rendered for their absence.

The Queries have been read at this time and succeeded by the answers from our Preparative meetings from which the following summary is compiled describin our state; and the Clerk is desired to transmit the same to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary D Collins & Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint our representatives.

The committee appointed to visit Emeline L Taylor informs that they are not ready to report, Read at this time an acceptable Epistle from London Yearly Meeting of women friends which is interesting and instructing to us.

Mary D Collins Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 19th of 2nd mo 1855. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Browning Elizabeth Peckham Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory Reason is assigned, the Representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment. The committee appointed to visit Emeline L Taylor are not ready to report and it is continued under their care untill they are.

Mary D Collins Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 26th of 3rd mo 1855. Preparative accounts present the Representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Lydia F Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is assigned.

Read at this time acceptable Episthe from London Dublin and New York Yearly Meetings of women friends which contains much pertinant council and is instructing to us.

Mary D Collins Clerk

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At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 23rd of 4th mo 1855. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Jane Hazard Deborah Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is assigned.

The Queries have been read succeeded by the answers from our Preparative meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same to our next Quarterly meeting by Hannah Knowles and Jane Hazard whom we appoint our representatives.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 28th of 5th mo 1855. Preparative accounts present, except one from Hopkinton, the representatives therein named are Dorcas Babcock & Jane Hazard whose names being called are presen.

The representatives to Quarterly meeting informs they attended agreeable to appointment. Elizabeth Peckham Clk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 25th of 6th mo 1855 Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Dorcas Babcock Mary D Collins and Electa Jane Collins whos names being called are present except one.

The committee appointed to visit Emeline L Taylor, present the following report,

To S. Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends

The committee appointed to visit Emeline L Taylor have attended thereto, she gives some encouragement of being more consistant in her walk

saying she had not been so, and did not feel as if she could in future, we are of the opinion that usefulness cannot arise by continuing her a member neither to Friends nor the individual all of which we submit to the monthly meeting.

on behalf of the committee Deborah Collins,

Hopkinton 26th of 5th mo 1855.

which is united with, and we disown her a right of membership with us, having the unity of men friends herein, Mary D. Collins is appointed to inform her of the ~~the~~ decision of this meeting.

Mary D. Collins, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 23rd of 7th mo 1855.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Jane Hazard Mary A. Collins and Electa whose names being called are present except two for whom satisfactory reasons are assigned.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative meetings to the first second & tenth from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by Elizabeth Peckham and Mary D. Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

Mary D. Collins has informed Emeline L. Taylor that she is disowned from the society of friends.

Received & read at this time the report of the Boarding school committee which is acceptable to us, and we appoint Mary D. Collins Hannah Knowles and Lois Perry to select scholars that are suitable candidates to receive the benefit of the charitable school fund also to grant certificates to those who wish to attend.

Mary D, Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Wome friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 8th mo 1855 Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are. Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry Mary A Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are presents.

The Representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment.

The time being expired for which the Clerks were appointed, Mary D, Collins is reappointed to that service for the ensueing year and Dorcas G Babcock is reappointed assistant Clerk for one year.

The time being expired for which the Overseers were appointed, the Representatives propose the following names, for South Kingsto Mary A Collins Lois Perry and Dorcas G Babcock, for Hopkinton Mary A, Collins and Deborah Collin as Overseers of Society, also Jane Hazard and Ruth Ann Collins for Overseers of the poor, which is united with, and they are appointed to that service for the ensueing year having the unity of men friends.

Read at this time the extracts from our last yearly meetings minutes which is satisfactory to us.

Mary D Collins Clerk.

At South Kingston monthly meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 7th mo 1855 Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins jun Elizabeth Peckham Mary A Collins and Lydia F Collins whose names being called are present except two for whom satisfactory reasons are assigned.

Read at this time acceptable Epistles from Baltimore and two from North Carolina Yearly Meeting of women friends which is edifying and instructing to us.

Mary D Collins Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 10th mo 1855. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Elizabeth Peckham Deborah Collins and Mary A Collins whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is assigned.

The queries have been read with answers from our preparative meetings to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled describing our State; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by Lois Perry and Deborah Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

Read at this time Transcript of Epistles from Ohio and Indianna Yearly meeting of women friends, which is acceptable to us and as a cordial to our minds.

Mary D Collins Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of wom friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 11th mo 1855. Preparative accounts present the representatives therei named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present, we are informed the representa to Quarterly meeting attended agreeable to appointme

Read at this time the London printed Epistle of 1854 which contains much weighty council and instruction.

Mary D Collins Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Westerly 24th of 12th mo 1855. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein are Mary Ann Collins, Dorcas Babcock Anna Maria Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except two.

South Kingston preparative Meeting informs that Nathaniel Hawkes and Mary Ann Collins jun. propose publishing their intentions of marriage before this monthly meeting a notice in writing signed by both parties signifying their intentions of marriage was accordingly presented, and Jane Hazard is appointed to enquire into her clearness of marriage engagements and report to our next monthly meeting.

We have to day in attendence of this Meeting, our beloved friend Rachel W Jones with minute of concurrence from China Monthl endorsed by Vassalborough Quarterly, Her compa and religious labor amongst us have been ver acceptable; as have also those of her husband with a minute from the same meeting

Dorcas G Babcock assistant

At South Kingston, Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 25th of 1st mo 1856. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Jane Hazard Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D, Collins whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is assigned.

The Queries have been read succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings to the first second and tenth from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham and Mary D Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

The committee appointed to enquire into Mary Ann Collins jun's clearness respecting marriage engagements report that they find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with Nathaniel Hawkes they having consent of parents are left at liberty to accomplish said marriage by keeping to the good order of Friends Mary D, Collins and Lois Perry are appointed to attend the solemnization thereof and report to our next monthly meeting, we have concluded to appoint a meeting for the consumation of the marriage at Timothy Clarke, Collins house to morrow at 2 O'clock 29, inst.

Read at this time the Transcript of Epistles from Dublin Yearly meeting of women friends which is fraught with much council and instruction.

Mary D, Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of wom
friends held at Westerly 25th of 2nd mo 1856.
Preparative accounts present the Representat
therein named are Mary A. C Hawkes Elizabeth
Peckham Mary D Collins and Electa Jane Collin
whose names being called are present.
The representatives to Quarterly meeting
informs that two of them attended, the other
has given a satisfactory reason for not doing so.
The committee appointed to attend the
marriage of Nathaniel Hawkes and Mary
Ann Collins jun report that it was
orderly conducted.

Mary D Collins Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women
friends held at Westerly 24th of 3rd mo 1856.
Preparative accounts present the representati
therein named are Elizabeth Browning Lois
Perry Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins
whose names being called are present.

Read at this time an Epistle
from New York Yearly Meeting of women
friends also one from Baltimore they are both
frought with much pertinent council and
instruction.

We unite with men friends in
the disownment of John W. Foster.

Mary D Collins Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women
friends held at South Kingston 4th mo 21st 1856.
Preparative accounts present the Representatives
therein named are Dorcas Babcock Jane
Hazard Anna A Gould and Ruth Ann Collins
whose names being called are present except
three, for whom satisfactory reasons are given.

The Queries have been read; succeeded by the answers from our preparative meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by Anna A Gould and Mary Ann Collins whom we appoint our representatives

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 26th of 5th mo 1856. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present.

The representatives to Quarterly meeting inform that they attended agreeable to appointment.

Mary D Collins Clk.

South Kingston preparative meeting of women friends presented a complaint against Eliza A Gardner formerly Knowles for uniting herself in marriage with one not a member of our society Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry and Elizabeth Peckham are appointed to visit her and report to a future meeting, also the same committee are to visit Sarah C daughter of Jonathan N 2nd Hazard for uniting herself in marriage with Lewis Hazard not a member of our society, and report to our next monthly meeting

Mary D Collins Clk

To Falmouth Monthly Meeting

Mary A E Hawkes haveing removed within the limits of your meeting requests our certificate.

This may certify that She is a member of this meeting, and a frequent attender thereof, whilst with us, of an orderly life and conversation, and has settled her outward affairs to satisfaction, we recommend her to your chistian care and oversight and are your Frien

Signed in and by direction of
South Kingston Monthly Meeting
of Friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 6th mo 1856

Timothy C Collins)
Mary D Collins)

Wm W Perry is our Correspondent

Received at this time extracts from our last Yearly meeting's minutes which is acceptable and encourageing to us.

Mary G Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 21st of 10th mo 1856.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Mary A Collins and Lydia F Collins whose names being called are present, The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings to the first second and tenth from which the following summary is compiled describing our state: and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary Ann Collins and Lois Perry whome we appoint our representatives.

Our beloved friend Ann Kenworthy is in attendance of this Meeting from White watter Monthly Meeting of friends Indiana, held 2nd mo 27th 1856. Endorsed by White water Quarterly Meeting held at Milford 3rd mo 1st 1856, Expressive of their unity in her present Religious engagements, her company and labors of love have been acceptable to us.

Our beloved friend William Kenworthy an elder from White Water monthly meeting of friend Indiana is in attendance of this Meeting companion to his wife Ann Kenworthy held 4th mo 23rd 1856, expressive of their unity in his present engagements his company and solid deportment has been acceptable to us, the committee appointed some time since to visit Eliza A Gardner Report that she is desirous that friends should pass by her transgression and continue her a member

Certificate Mary A C Hawkes

Received and read at this time the report of the Bording school committee which is acceptable to us, and we appoint Mary D Collins Hannah Knowles and Lois Perry to select Scholars that are suitable candidates to receive the benefeits of the charatable school fund also to grant certificates to those who wish to attend school, the committee appointed to prepare a certificates for Mary A C Hawks produced one and it is read and approved by this and mens meeting, and is left with the Clerk for her to record and forward.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 9th mo 185 Preparative accounts pesent the representati therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry Anna A, Gould and Mary A Collins. whose names being called are present excep one, for which a satisfactory reason is given.

The committee appointed to enquire into Mary P Perry's clearness respecting marria engagements report that they find nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with John Babcock they having consent of parents are left at liberty to accomplis said marriage by keeping to the good order of friends, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins are appointed to attend the solemnization thereof report to our next monthly meeting. We have concluded to leave it with men friends to appoint a meeting at William S Perry's house to morrow at half past one O'clock 23, for the consumation of the marriag.

which is united with and we grant her request having the approbation of men friends therein.

To South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends

Dear Friends — We your Committee appointed to visit Eliza A Gardner on a complaint brought agains her, Report ~~that~~ that we have some of us visited her, she is desireous of remaining a member, & we think of her request being granted which we submit to friends.

South Kingston 9th mo 10th 1856

Mary Ann Collins
Lois Perry
Elizabeth Peckham

The committee appointed to attend the solemnization of the marriage of John Babcock and Mary P Perry report that it was orderly conducted.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 11th mo 1856. Preparative accounts present the Representatives therein named are Margaret T Hall and Anna A Gould Mary Ann Collins and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a reasonable excuse is rendered,

We are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment, the other was prevented by sickness in her family: Read at this time Epistles from Ohio North Carolina and Indiana containing much ex-
cellent council and instructi[illegible] Babcock assistant

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends held at Western 22nd of 12th mo 1856, preparatives accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary P. Babcock Elizabeth Peckham Electa Jane Collins and Lydia H Collins whose names being called are present.

Read at this time an excellent and instructing Epistle from London Yearly Meeting

Dorcas G Babcock Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 26th of 1st mo 1857. preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Mary P Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called ~~are~~ present except three who were pevente by indisposition. The Queries with answers to the first seconda and tenth, have been read in this meeting from them we have selected the following, which we transmit to the Quarterly meeting by Dorcas G Babcock and Mary P Babcock whom we appoint our representatives

Dorcas G Babcock Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of women friends held at Western 23rd of 2nd mo 1857 Preparatives accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry Anna A Gould and Mary D Collins whose names being are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is given. We are informed that one of the

is Representatives to Quarterly meeti
attended. the other has given a satisfactory reason for her not attending.

Mary D Collins C

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of wom
friends held at Western 23rd of 3rd mo 1857.

Preparative accounts present the representa
therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Mary
P Babcock Mary D Collins & Ruth Ann Collins
whose names being called are present.

Hopkinton preparative meeting informs th
Lucia A York formerly Kenyon has united
herself in marriage with one not a member
of our Society, also presented a complaint
signed by one of the Overseers saying that
she has no wish to remain in unity with
friends and make satisfaction for her outgo
we therefore disown her a right of members
with us. having the approbation of men
friends herein. The Clk is desired to inform her the
decision of this meeting

Hopkinton 19th of 3rd mo 1857.

To the Preparative meeting,

Lucia A Kenyon
having had a birthright in our society
has married Welcome D York not a member, contrary to discipline having an oppo
tunity I conversed with her, she wished time to
consider it, and has written me it has been
well considered and she wishes to be disowned.

Deborah Collins
an Overseer,

Received and read at this time a
certificate from Unity monthly meeting
of friends Maine, in favor of Mary C T Coll
which is acceptable and is as follows

Mary D Collins Clk

Mary D Collins certificate

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friend,
Mary D Collins, having removed within your limit, requests our certificate.

This may certify that she is a member of this meeting, & a frequent attender thereof, of an orderly life & conversation, & has adjusted her outward affairs to satisfaction, as far as appears, we recommend her to your christian care, and are your Friends.

Signed on behalf of Unity monthly meeting of friends, held at Brooks, 12th mo 17th 1856.

Joseph Taber }
Correspondent }
William Taber }
Jane H Jones } Clks

At South Kingston monthly meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 27th of 4th mo 1857. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Jane Hazard Mary D Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present.

The Queries have all been redd with answers at this time, and we have selected those that comprise the present state; of this meeting, and we transmit them to our next Quarterly meeting by Anna A Gould and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint our representatives. The Clerk has informed Lucia York that she is denied a right of membership with us.

Mary D Collins Clk

South Kingston Monthly meeting of
women friends held at South Kingston 25th of 5th m
1857. Preparative accounts present the representa
there named are Mary D Collins Lydia F Collins
Elizabeth Peckham and Jane Hazard whose name
being called are present except two, one of whom ~~a~~
rendered a satisfactory reason for her absence.
we are informed that the representatives to
Quarterly meeting attended agreeable to appoint

Dorcas G Babcock Assistan

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of
women friends held at South Kingston 22nd of
6th mo 1857. Preparative accounts present th
representatives therein named are Ruth An
Collins Anna Maria Collins Hannah M Babco
and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being
called are present except two for whose absen
satisfactory reasons were given.

Dorcas G Babcock Ass,

At South Kingston Monthly meeting of wome
friends held at South Kingston 27th ~~[illegible]~~ of 7th mo
1857 Preparative accounts present the
representatives therein named are Mary
Ann Collins Dorcas G Babcock Anna A Goul
and Margaret T Hall whose names being
called are present.

The Queries have been read
at this time succeeded by the answers
from our preparative meetings to the first
second and tenth from which the followin
summary is compiled describing our
state; and we transmit the same wit
this account to our next Quarterly meeti
by Ruth Ann Collins & Caroline Hazard
whom we appoint our representatives.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston monthly meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 8th mo 1857 Preparative accounts present the Representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is given, we are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposition.

The time being expired for which the Clerk and Assistant were appointed, the representatives propose the reappointment of Mary D Collins for Clk and the reappointment of Dorcas G Babcock for assistant clk and they being united with are appointed to that service for the ensuing year, the time being expired for which the Overseers were appointed the representatives propose the following names, for South Kingston Mary Ann Collins and Lois Perry, for Hopkinton Mary A Collins Deborah Collins and Ruth Ann Collins as Overseers of Society also Jane Hazard & Anna A Gould for Overseers of the poor which is united with and they are appointed to that service for one year, having the unity of men friends therein.

Read at this time Epistles from London and Dublin Yearly meetings of women friend containing much excellent council and instruction.

Received and read the London printed Epistle and we desire that the sound gospel truths imparted may have a lasting impression upon our minds

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston monthly meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 21st of 9th mo 1857 preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Hannah M Babcock Lois Perry Anna A Gould and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons are given.

Received and read the extracts from the minutes o our last Yearly meeting of women friends which is lively and instrucing to us.

Read at this time Epistles from New York, Baltimore North Carolina, Ohio, Indiana, Yearly meetings of women friends which is strengthning and encourageing to us.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 10th mo 1857. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas G Babcock Lois Perry Anna A Gould and Lydia F Collins whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparatives meetings to the first second and tenth from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by Anna A Gould and Lois Perry whom we appoint our representatives.

Read at this time Epistles from London Dublin, New York, Baltimore, North Carolina, and Ohio, Yearly meetings of women friends which contain much excellent council and instruction.

South Kingston preparative meeting proposes to unite South Kingston and Western meetings for Worship together to be held at Peacdale, in South Kingston infuture which is united with.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23rd of 11th mo 1857, preparative accounts present the represintatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Jane Hazard Deborah Collins and Mary L Collins whose names being called are present excep two for whom satisfactory reasons are assigned.

We are informed that the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment. The committee appointed some time since to visit Sarah C Hazard for uniting herself in marriage with one not a member, report that they have visited her at different times, and find she is desireous that friends should pass by her transgression and continue her a member, which is united with and she is to remain a member of our Society, having the unity of men friends herein. Elizabeth Peckham is appointed to inform her of the decision of this meeting.

We your Committee appointed to visit Sarah C. daughter of Jonathan N. Hazard on account of her transgression from the rules of Society, report that we have attended to the appointment and visited her at different times, and found her desirous of being continued a member of Society, which we submit to the Mo. Meeting.

So. Kingston 21st of 11th mo 1857.
Lois Perry
Elizabeth Peckham Commn

We unite with our men friends in uniting South Kingston and Western meeting for worship together to be held at Peacedale in South Kingston for the future commencing for the first time the 29th of this month.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 28th of 12th mo 1857. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Hannah M Babcock Elizabeth Peckham Ruth Ann Collins and Anna Maria Collins whose names being called are present except two for one of whom a satisfactory reason is given for not attending.

The friend appointed to inform Sarah C Hazard of the decision of this meeting reports that she has attended there too.

Dorcas S Babcock Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 25th of 1st mo 1858. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Caroline Hazard Mary D, Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present.

The Queries have all been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative meeti to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by Caroline Hazard and Mary Ann Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

Mary D Collins Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 22nd of 2nd mo 1858. Preparative account present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Dorcas G Babcock Ruth Ann, Collins and Anna Maria, Collins whose names being called are present, We are informed that the representatives to Quarterly meeting attend agreeable to appointment.

Dorcas G Babcock Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 22nd of 3rd mo 1858. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Ruth Ann, Collins and Electa Jane Collins whos names being called are present except one.

Read at this time an Epistle from Indiana Yearly Meeing of women friends contain much excellent instruction and advice.

Dorcas G. Babcock Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 26th of 4th mo 1858. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Hannah M Babcock Jane Hazard Mary D Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The Queries have all been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative meetings, from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by Elizabeth Peckham and Ruth Ann Collins whom we appoint our representatives

Elizabeth Peckham, Clk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 24th of 5th mo 1858. preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Dorcas G Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Mary D, Collins whose names being called are present.

One of the representatives to Quarterly meeting inform they attended agreeable to appointment.

Mary D, Collins, Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 21st of 6th mo 1858. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Caroline Hazard Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann, Collins whose names being called are all absent, for one of whom a satisfactory reason was given

Dorcas G. Babcock Clk for the day

At South Kisigston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston 26th of 7th mo 1858. preparative accounts present the representative therein named are ~~present~~ ~~the~~ Lois Perry Jane Hazard Anna A Gould and Mary D, Collins whose names being are present.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative meetings to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this accounts to our next Quarterly meeting by Mary D, Collins and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint our representatives.

Received and read at this time the report of the bording school committee, which is satisfactory to us, and we appoint Ruth Ann Collins and Lois Perry to select scholars that are suitable candidates for the benefit of the charitable fund, also to grant certificates to those who wish to attend said school.

Mary D Collins, Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 23rd of 8th mo 1858, preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry Mary D Collins & Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two, who has given satisfactory reasons for their absence. We are informed that the representatives to Quarterly meeting attended agreeable to appointment.

The time being expired for which the Clerks were appointed, the representatives propose the appointment of Mary D Collins as Clerk, and Dorcas G Babcock assiatant Clk which being satisfatory to the meeting, they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The time being expired for which the Overseers were appointed, the representatives propose the following names, for South Kingston Mary Ann Collins. and Lois Perry for Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins as Overseers of Society, also Jane Hazard and Anna A Gould for Overseers of the Poor, which is united with and they are appointed to that service for one year, having the unity of men friends therein.

Received and read at this time the London printed Epistle and we desire that the sound gospel truths imparted, may have a lasting impression upon our minds.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 9th mo 1858 preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Anna A Gould and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition, read at this time transcripts of epistles from London 1857, and 1858, also one from Dublin, Yearly Meetings of woman friends which contains much excellent council and instruction. Received and read at this time a certificate in favor of William Henry Perry and family, consisting of a wife and two children, which is acceptable to us.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 25th of 10th mo 1858. preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Hannah M Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The Queries have been read with answers from our preparative Meetings to the first second and tenth.

from which the following summary is compi
describing our state; and we transmit the same
with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by
Lois Perry and Mary D Collins whom we appoint our
representatives.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 11th mo 1858. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Dorcas G Babcock Ruth Ann Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is given. We are informed that the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 27th of 12th mo 1858. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Hannah M Babcock Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present excep one for whom a satisfactory reason is given.

Read at this time an acceptable Epistle from New York Yearly Meeting of Women Friends which is instructing to us.

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 24th of 1st mo 1859. Preparatives accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Jane Hazard Electa Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposi
The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by th answers from our preparative meetings to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled describing our state; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Elizabeth Peckham and Mary D Collins whom we appoint our

our representatives. An interesting epistle from our sisters of Baltimore Yearly Meeting has been acceptably read, giving us afresh to feel the value of this correspondence. Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 21st of 2nd mo 1859. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas I Babcock Ruth Ann Collins and Anna A Gould whose names being called are present except one a satisfactory reason is given for her absence. one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment, the other was prevented by a storm.

Interesting epistles from our dear sisters of North Carolina, Ohio and Indiana Yearly Meetings has been acceptably read. at this time.

We are informed that Charles I Collins and Mary I Knowles propose publishing their intention of marriage befor this monthly meeting, a notice in writing signed by both the parties signifying their intentions of marriage was accordingly presented, which this Meeting takes notice of and desires them to wait untill a future Meeting. Anna A Gould is appointed to enquire into her clearness of marriag engagements and report to our next monthly Meeting.

We are informed by men friends that Charles I Collins requests this meeting adjourned to the 10th of 3rd mo 1859 in order to give him and Mary I Knowles an answers, if the committee find nothing to prevent their proceeding in marriage, which is satisfactory to us, and friends are accordingly desired to meet at South Kingston Meeting house at 10½ Oclock of that day.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held by adjournment at South Kingston 10th of 3rd mo 1859, The committee appointed to enquire into ~~into~~ Mary S Knowles clearness respecting marriage engagem report that she finds nothing to prevent her proceeding in marriage with Charles G Collins they having consent of parents are left at liberty to accomplish said marriage by keeping to the good order of friends, Mary D Collins and Jane Hazard are appointed to attend the solemnization thereof and report to our next monthly meeting.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 28th of 3rd mo 1859. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham Mary D Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one for whom a satisfactory reason is given for her absence The committee appointed to attend the marriage of Charles G Collins and Mary S Knowles report that it was orderly conducted.

A testimony concerning our dear friend Mary A Collins deceased has been read and approved evincing that she was an Elder worthy of double honor, and her example saith may we follow her as she has followed Christ. The Clerk is directed to sign & forward it to our next Quarterly Meeting

Mary D Collins Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 25th of 4th mo 1859.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard ~~and~~ Lois Perry Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present.

The Queries have all been read at this time and answered by the answers from our Preparative meetings, from which the following summary is exhibited describing our State; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Electa Jane Collins and Elizabeth Peckham whom we appoint our representatives.

A Testimony concerning our dear friend Mary A Robinson deceased has been read and approved, She was an Elder worthy of double honor, and may we endeavor to follow her example as she has followed Christ. the Clerk is directed to sign and forward the same to our next Quarterly Meeting.

Dorcas F Babcock Assistant Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingston 23rd of 5th mo 1859. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a reasonable excuse is given. The representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting report that they attended.

Our esteemed friend Lemuel Gifford is in attendance of this Meeting with a minute of concurrance from Sandwich monthly Meeting expressive of their unity in his present Religious engagements his company and gospel labors have been truly acceptable to us.

Electa Jane Collins Clk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingston 27th of 6th mo 1859. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Mary Ann Collins Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present; this meeting concludes, purporting to meet at the usual time and place.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 25th of 7th mo 1 Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Hannah M Babcock Anna A Gould Margaret G Hall and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition in the family.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our Preparative Meetings, to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled describing our State; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Ruth Ann Collins and Anna A Gould whom we appoint our representatives.

Received and read at this time the repor of the bording school committee which is satisfactory to us, and we appoint Ruth Ann Collins and Lois Perry to select scholars that are suitable candidates for the charitable fund, also to grant certificates to those who wish to attend said school. this meeting concludes, purporting to meet at the usual time and place.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 8th mo 1859. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Anna A Gould Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present.

The time being expired for which the Clerks were appointed, the representatives propose the appointment of Mary D Collins as Clerk, and Anna A Gould assistant Clerk, which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The time being expired for which the Overseers were appointed, the representatives propose the following names for South Kingston Mary Ann Collins and Lois Perry for Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins as Overseers of Society, also

Ann Hazard and Anna A Gould for overseers of the poor, which is united with and they are appointed to that service for one year, men friends uniting therein.

We are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposition.

Read at this time an extract from the minutes of our last Yearly meeting of women friends, which is acceptable to us.

The London printed epistle of the present year has been acceptably read at this time, and we desire that the solemn truths therein contained, may rest abidingly upon our hearts.

An interesting epistle from our dear Sisters of London Yearly meeting has been acceptably read, this Meeting concludes, purporting to meet at the usual time and place.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 9th mo 1857. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Electa Jane Collins Lydia F Collins Lois Perry and Mary Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons are given.

Interesting epistles from our sister of Dublin New York and Baltimore Yearly Meetings have been acceptbly read, giving us afresh to feel the value of this correspondence, which has a tendency we believe to strengthen the bonds of Christian fellowship between us and our dear absent Sisters.

This meeting concludes, purporting to meet at the usual time and place.

Dorcas F Babcock Clk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 10th mo 1859. Preparative accounts present except one. the representatives therein named are Lydia F Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present,

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings, except one, to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled describing our present State, and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Anna A Gould and Electa Jane Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

An interesting Epistle from our dear sisters of North Carolina has been acceptably read at this tim.

This Meeting concludes purporting to meet next month at the usual time and place.

Anna A Gould Assistant Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 21st of 11th mo 1859. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Anna A Gould Caroline Hazard Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present excep one. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment, Interesting epistles from our absent Sisters of Ohio & Indiana Yearly meetings has been acceptably read This Meeting concludes purporting to meet next month at the usual time and place.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 26th of 12th mo 1859. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Lois Perry Lydia F Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons are given. This Meeting concludes purporting to mee next month at the usual time and place

Anna A Gould Assistant Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 23rd of 1st mo 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Hannah M. Babcock Lydia F Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read at this time succeded by the answers from our preparative meetings to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled describing our State; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Lydia F Collins and Caroline Hazard whom we appoint our representatives.

This Meeting is informed by the meeting of Ministers and Elders that they have proposed Mary D Collins to the station of an Elder, this meeting after considering the subject, are united in the appointment, having the unity of men friends therein.

This meeting concludes purporting to meet next month at the usual time and place.

Anna A Gould Clk for the day

At South Kingston monthly meeting of women Friends held at Western 20th of 2nd mo 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Electa Jane Collins Ruth Ann Collins Mary P. Babcock and Dorcas G. Babcock whose names being called are present, we are informed that the representatives to Quarterly meeting attended agreeable to appointment.

This Meeting concludes purporting to meet next month at the usual time and place.

Dorcas G Babcock Clk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western, 26th of 3rd mo 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Anna A Gould Dorcas G. Babcock Electa Jane Collins & Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present,

Anna A Gould Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingstown 23rd of 4th mo 1860. Preparati accounts present the representatives therein named are, Jane Hazard Anna A Gould Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have all been read at this time, succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings from which the following summary is compiled describing our State: and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Lois Perry and Mary Ann Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

This meeting concludes purporting to meet next month at the usual time and place.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingtown 28th of 5th mo 1860. Preparative accounts present the representative therein named are Hannah M Babcock Hannah Knowles Lydia P Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present. one of the representative to Quarterly Meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposition.

This Meeting concludes purporting to meet next month at the usual time and place.

Ruth Ann Collins Clk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingstown 25th of 6th mo 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazard Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present.

Our esteemed Friend Elizabeth Peckham opened in this meeting a prospect which had for some time rested on her mind, to attend the approaching Quarterly Meeting of Sandwich, and most of the Meetings constituting it, and appoint some Meetings if way opens for it, which claiming the deliberate consideration of this meeting, has been fully united with and she left at liberty to pursue her prospect as best wisdom may direct, she being a Minister in unity with us, having the unity of men friends therein.

This meeting concludes purporting to meet next month at the usual time and place.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 23rd of 7th mo 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas G Babcock Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings, to the first second and tenth; from which the following summary is compiled describing our State; and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

Received and read at this time the report of the boarding school committee, which is acceptable to us, and we appoint Lois Perry and Ruth Ann Collins to select scholars that are suitable candidates for the benefit of the charitable fund, also to grant certificates to those that wish to attend said school. This Meeting concludes proposing to meet next month as usual at this time at Hopkinton.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 27th of 8th mo 1860.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present, except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The time being expired for which the Clerks were appointed, the representatives propose the appointment of Anna A Gould as Clerk and

Ruth Ann Collins Assistant Clerk, whic being satisfactory to the Meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The time being expired for which the Overseers were appointed, the representatives propose the following names, for South Kingston Mary Ann Collins and Lois Perry for Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D Collins as Overseers of Society, also Jane Hazard and Margaret T Hall for Overseers of the poor, which is united with, and they are appointed to that service for one year, men friends uniting therein.

We are informed that one of the representativ to Quarterly Meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposi in the family.

Received and read at this time the extracts from the minuets of our last Yearly Meeting of Women Friends, which is acceptable to us.

We have also received the transcript of Epistl and read some of them; Interesting epistles from our Sisters of Dublin and New York Yearly Meetings have been acceptabl read, giving us afresh to feel the value of this correspondence which has a tendency we believe to strength the bonds of Christian fellowship between us and our dear absent Sisters. This Meeting concludes purporting to meet next month as usual at this place.

Mary D Collins Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 24th of 9th mo 1863.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Hannah M Babcock Margaret T Hall and Mary D Collins whose names being called are present.

Received and read at this time the London printed Epistle and we desire that the sound gospel truths imparted may have a lasting impression on our minds.

Interesting epistles from our dear Sisters of Baltimore, North-Carolina, and Ohio Yearly Meetings has been acceptable. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Mary D Collins Clk for the

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 22nd of 10th mo. 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Mary Ann Collins, Lydia J. Collins, and Mary D. Collins, whose names being called are all present except one.

The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative Meetings, to the first second and tenth, from which the following summary is compiled which we think is descriptive of the present state of this meeting and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Lois Perry and Electa Jane Collins whom we appoint our representatives

An excellent epistle from our sisters of Western Yearly meeting was read at this time to our edification. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 26th of 11th month 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins and Anna A Gould, Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are all present.

One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informs they both attended. This meeting concludes purposing to meet at Western in 12th mo. next if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 12th mo. 24th 1860. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Hannah M. Babcock Mary D. Collins and Anna M. Collins whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

Our beloved Friend Elizabeth Peckham returned at this time a minute granted her in sixth month last with information that she has attended to the service much

to the relief of her own mind and was favored with tha
peace which passeth all understanding. She also pres
ted to this meeting returning minutes furnished her b
Sandwich Quarterly Meeting, one from Sandwich
Monthly meeting also one from New Bedford monthly
Meeting, all expressive of their satisfaction with h
company and religious services. All of which is ver
acceptable to us. This meeting concludes purposing to
meet at this place in first month next.

Anna A. Gould Cle

Our beloved friend Elizabeth Peckham attended
this meeting and presented a satisfactory certificate
expressive of the unity of her friends, with her
ministry and present religious engagements. Her
company and gospel labors have been very acceptabl
to us and the clerks are directed to furnish her wit
a copy of this minute. From the minutes of Sandw
Quarterly Meeting held at Falmouth Mass. 7mo 5th,

Wm. C. Taber Cler

Calvin Shepherd Correspondent. Sarah H. Anthony Cler

Our beloved friend Elizabeth Peckham attended
this meeting and presented a certificate of unity and concurren
from South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends.
Her company and religious services have been
acceptable to us. Signed by direction of Sandwi
Monthly Meeting of Friends held 7th mo 6th 1860,

Malliah Gifford
Correspondent.

David K. Akin)
Elizabeth C. Wing) Cler

Our beloved friend Elizabeth Peckham attended this
Meeting with a satisfactory certificate from South Kingst
Monthly Meeting. Her company and religious services have b
acceptable to us. Signed by direction of New Bedford
Monthly Meeting held 10 mo. 25. 1860.

William Howland
Correspondent.

Charles R. Tucker }
Dorcas F. Tucker } Cler

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 28th of 1st month 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Anna A. Gould Electa Jane Collins and Anna Maria Collins whose names being called are present. The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the first second and tenth from our Preparative meetings from which the following are selected which we think comprise the present state of this meeting and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by our representatives who are Electa Jane Collins and Lois Perry. This meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place in second month next.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 2nd month 25th 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Dorcas G. Babcock Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two who were prevented by indisposition. One of the representatives attended Quarterly Meeting ageeable to appointments the other was prevented by indisposition.

Ruth Ann Collins
Assistant Clerk—

At South Kinkston Monthly meeting of Women [illegible] held at Western 3rd mo. 25th 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Elizabeth Peckham, Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except one. This meeting concludes purposing to meet at South Kingston in fourth month next.

Anna A. Gould [illegible]

At South Kingston monthly meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 4th mo. 22nd 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Jane Hazzard, Lois Perry, Electa Jane Collins and Mary D. Collins who are all present except one. The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by the answers from our preparative meetings from which the following summary are selected which we describe the present state of this meeting [illegible] We unite with the account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Hannah [illegible] and [illegible] Hazard who are appointed representatives. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

Anna A. Gould Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 5th mo. 27th 1861. Preparative account presents the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins [illegible] [illegible] Electa J. Collins and Mary J. Collins whose names being called are present. Those appointed the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment. This meeting unites with men Friends in the discontinuance of John Whitfield Hazard his right of membership with us. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 6th mo. 24th 1861. Preparative account presents the representatives therein named are Electa J. Collins, Mary J. Collins, Lois Perry and Jane Hazzard whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given. This meeting unites with men Friends in the discontinuance of Thomas Edwin Allen his right of membership with us. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingston 7th mo. 22nd 1861. Preparative account presents the representatives therein named are Hannah W. Babcock, Anna A. Gould, Mary J. Collins and Electa J. Collins who are all present.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the first second and tenth, from our preparative meeting, and we have selected those that comprise the present state of this meeting which we transmit to our next Quarterly Meeting by Electa J. Collins and Hannah W. Babcock who are appointed representatives. Our esteemed friend Lemuel Gifford in attendance of this meeting and produced a certificate from [illegible] Monthly Meeting expressive of their unity with him and his present religious engagement; his company and religious labors [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Received and read at [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] to select scholars for the benefit of the [illegible]

[illegible] certificates to those who wish to attend [illegible]

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton

Anna A. Gould Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo. 26th 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham and [illegible] Perry, Lucia [illegible] and Ruth Ann Collins [illegible] being absent at present. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended. This being the usual time for the appointment of Clerks and Overseers the representatives propose the following names; for Clerk Anna A. Gould and assistant Laura [illegible] Babcock. The Clerk not being present we defer that appointment until next month. Overseers of [illegible] Mary Ann Collins Mary T. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins, for Overseers of the poor Ann Hazzard and Margaret T. Hall, whose names being united with and having the unity of [illegible] friends they are accordingly appointed to that service for the ensuing year. An Epistle from London Yearly Meeting has been read in this meeting, also a minute of Advice from New England Yearly Meeting [illegible] acceptable to us. This meeting concludes purposing to meet again next month at this place.

Ruth Ann Collins Assistant Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 23rd 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Anna A. Gould Mary T. Collins and Margaret T. Hall [illegible] present. The appointment of Clerk being deferred last month Anna A. Gould is proposed for that service which being united with she is appointed to that service the ensuing year.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held [illegible] mo. 28th 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Anna A. Gould Mary D. Collins and Electa Jane Collins who are all present. The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the first second and tenth from our preparative Meetings from which the following are selected describing the present state of this meeting and we transmit the same with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary D. Collins and Electa Jane Collins our representatives. This Meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 25th. 1861. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois [illegible] Mary P. Babcock Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreable to appointment. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Western.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 12th mo. 23rd 1861. Preparative accounts received except Hopkinton the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins and Dorcas G. Babcock whose names being called are present. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Dorcas G. Babcock
[illegible] Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 27th of 1st mo. 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois [illegible] Dorcas G. Babcock Electa Jane Collins and Mary D. Collins whose names being called are all present except one for whose absence there was a reasonable excuse. The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the [illegible] which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by Electa Jane Collins and Mary D. Collins who are appointed our representatives. This meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Electa Jane Collins Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held 2nd mo. 24th 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham, Sarah A. Perry, Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is given. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended. Our dear friend [illegible] Ordway attended this meeting and presented a certificate of unity and concurrence from Seabrook Monthly Meeting of Friends. his company and gospel labors have been very acceptable to us.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet as usual at the time next month. Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held 24th of 3rd mo. 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein ~~[illegible]~~ named are Anna A. Gould, Dorcas G. Babcock, Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are all present. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at South Kingston.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 4th mo. 21st 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein ~~contained~~ named are from South Kingston Mary Ann Collins, Lois Perry, Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D. Collins whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The Queries have all been read with answers from our Preparative Meetings from which the following are selected as being descriptive of the present state of this meeting, which we transmit with this account to our next Quarterly meeting by Elizabeth Peckham, Caroline Hazzard, & Mary D. Collins, our representatives. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould, Cl.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Frien held at South Kingston 5th mo. 26th 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are, from South Kingston Mary Ann Collins Dorcas G. Babcock, Hopkint Margaret T. Hall, Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting informing all attended. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place as usual.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 6th mo. 23rd. 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein contained are Hannah M. Babcock Lois Perry from So. Kingsto from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one.

Our esteemed friend Joseph Hobson a Minister attended this meeting and presented a minute of concurrence from Gilead Monthly Meeting Morrow County Ohio held 4th mo 25th 1862 endorsed by Alum Creek Quarterly Meeting held 5th mo 3rd 186 at Goshen Morrow Co. Ohio expressive of their unity with him as a minister and his present religious engagement. His company and religious labors have been very acceptable to us.

Our esteemed friend Isaac Stanley companion to Joseph Hobson attended this meeting with a minute of concurrence from Upper Springfield Monthly meeting Columbiana County Ohio held 5th mo [illegible] 1862. His company has been acceptable to us. The clerk is directed to sign the minutes prepared for them by men friends. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 7th mo. 28th 1862. Preparative accounts present, the representatives therein named are from South Kingston Mary Ann Collins & Anna A. Gould from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins, whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read in this meeting & answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our Preparative meetings from which we have selected those most descriptive of the present state of this meeting which we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary Ann Collins & Anna A. Gould our representatives.

Received and read at this time the report of the Boarding School committee and we appoint Mary C. Hazzard and Mary J. Collins a committee to select scholars for the benefit of the charitable fund and to grant certificates to those who wish to attend the school. Received at this time Epistles from our sisters in other Yearly Meetings, all of which were read to our edification; also received the extracts from our last Yearly Meeting.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo. 25th 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from Hopkinton Mary J. Collins and Electa Jane Collins, from South Kingston Lois Perry and Dorcas G. Babcock, whose names being called are all present except one for which a satisfactory reason is assigned. This being the usual time for which the clerks and overseers are appointed, the representatives proposed the following names viz. For Clerk Anna A. Gould for Assistant Dorcas G. Babcock which is united with and they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

For Overseers of Society for South Kingston Mary Ann Collins & Lois Perry for Hopkinton Mary J. Collins & Ruth Ann Collins; for Overseers of the poor Hannah M. Babcock and Margaret T. Hall. which is united with and they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

We are informed that one of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposition. We have received at this time a minute from the Yearly Meeting, requesting Monthly Meetings to appoint a committee to unite with the committee on education in promoting First day schools. We appoint Electa Jane Collins, Ruth Ann Collins, Mary H. Babcock & Sarah A. Perry a committee for the promotion of a religious & literary instruction of our youth.

We have received the London General Epistle, but defer the reading of it untill next month. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Mary D. Collins Clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 22nd 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingston Mary Ann Collins and Lois Perry from Hopkinton Margaret T Hall, and Mary D. Collins whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is assigned. Read at this time the London General Epistle which is very refreshing and edifying to us.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 27th 1862. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are. Dorcas G. Babcock Anna A. Gould Electa Jane Collins and Mary D. Collins, whose names being called are all present except one. The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the 1st. 2nd. & 10th from our preparative meetings from which ~~we~~ have selected those most descriptive of the state of this meeting and transmit them to our next Quarterly Meeting by Elizabeth Peckham and Mary D. Collins who are appointed our representatives. Read at this time interesting Epistles from our dear sisters of Dublin New York and Baltimore which are very acceptable and encouraging to us. This Meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 24th 1862. Preparative account present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Sarah A. Perry Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason is given. We are informed the representatives to Quarterly Meeting all attended. Read at this time to our mutual comfort and edification interesting epistles from our sisters of Ohio Indiana and Western Yearly Meeting. This Meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Western.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston monthly meeting of Women friends held at Western 12th mo. 22nd 1863. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann Collins Lois Perry Mary D. Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except two. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 1st mo. 26th 1863. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry, Dorcas G. Babcock Margaret F. Hull and Ruth Ann Collins who are all present except two. The Queries have all been read in this meeting with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings and have selected those most descriptive of the present state of this meeting which we forward with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by our representatives Mary D. Collins & Anna A. Gould. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould. Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 2nd mo. 23rd 1863. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Hannah M. Babcock Lois Perry Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two who were prevented by a severe snow-storm. The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform they both attended. This Meeting concluded purposing to meet next month at Western.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 3rd. mo 23rd 1863, Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Electa Jane Collins Ruth Ann Collins Mary Ann Collins and Dorcas G. Babcock, whose names being called are all present except one. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at South Kingston

Dorcas G. Babcock Assistant. Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 4th. mo. 27th. 1863. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Caroline Hazzard Mary Ann Collins Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are all present except one.

The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers thereto from each of our Preparative meetings from which we have selected those that appear to comprise the present state of this meeting which we are to transmit to our next Quarterly meeting by Mary Ann Collins Dorcas G. Babcock and Mary D. Collins whome we appoint as representatives. Men Friends inform that Abel C. Collins and wife request a removal certificate to New-York Monthly Meeting of Friend and we appoint Ruth Ann Collins and Mary C. Hazzard a committee to join men Friends in preparing one.

This meetings concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at [illegible]
Preparative accounts being [illegible] representatives
[illegible] names are from South Kingstown [illegible]
[illegible] from Westerly [illegible]
[illegible] from [illegible] being called [illegible]
[illegible] Collins [illegible] names being called [illegible]
[illegible]. [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible]
Quarterly Meeting [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]. The Friends [illegible]
[illegible] New York [illegible]
which is [illegible] of in this meeting [illegible]
is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting.
[illegible] from the meeting [illegible]
[illegible] acceptably [illegible] in this meeting.

This meeting concludes
purposing to meet next month at [illegible]
Anna [illegible] Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting
of Women Friends held at South Kingstown [illegible]
[illegible] 1863. Preparative accounts being
presented the representatives [illegible] names
are from South Kingstown [illegible]
[illegible] Collins from [illegible]
Collins [illegible] Collins [illegible]
being called on [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
is very acceptable and edifying [illegible].

This meeting concludes purposing to
meet next month at this place.

Anna A Gould [illegible].

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women
Friends held at South Kingstown 7th mo 27th 1863.
Preparative accounts present the representatives [illegible]
[illegible] Ann Collins Electa Jane Collins [illegible]
and Elizabeth Peckham whose names being called [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible].
The Queries have been read in this meeting with
answers to the 1st 2nd. and 10th from our preparative meetings

from which we select those which comprise the present state of this meeting and transmit the same to our next Quarterly Meeting by Electa Jane Collins and Mary Ann Collins who are appointed our representatives.

Our Esteemed Friend Lemuel Gifford attended this meeting with a minute of unity from Sandwich monthly meeting of Friends dated 6th mo. 5th 1863. His religious services and company have been very acceptable to us.

Received and acceptably read at this time the Report of the Boarding School Committee; and we appoint Hannah P. Babcock and Electa Jane Collins a Committee to select scholars for the benefit of the charitable fund and to grant certificates to those who wish to attend the school. Also received at this time the Epistles from our sisters of other Yearly Meetings. This meeting concludes, purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo. 20th 1863.

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Mary D. Collins Ruth Ann Collins Lois Perry and Mary Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two.

This meeting is informed that one of the representative to Quarterly attended.

The representatives at this time propose the names of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock assistant; which being united with they are accordingly appointed to that service for the ensuing year. They also propose for overseers the names of Mary Ann Collins and Lois Perry for South Kingstown; and Ruth Ann Collins and Mary F. Collins for Hopkinton.

For Overseers of the poor Hannah M. Babcock, and Margaret G. Hall, which being united with they are appointed to that service for this year.

This meeting is informed that Mary E. [illegible] has [illegible] [illegible] unity, are accordingly [illegible] [illegible] that account and [illegible] at a future meeting. Read at this time epistles from our sisters of London and Dublin Yearly Meetings which were very acceptable and encouraging. This meeting concludes adjourning to meet at Hopkinton next month.

Dorcas G. Babcock Assistant Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 21st 1863.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named Mary Ann Collins, Lois Perry, Martha Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two.

The committee appointed to visit Mary E. Wells has attended thereto and presented a report which is accepted and she is accordingly denied the right of membership in our society [illegible] and having the unity of men friends [illegible]. [illegible] Collins is appointed to inform her of the decision of this meeting. We unite with men friends in receiving John T. Saunders a member of our religious society. We are informed by Hopkinton Preparative meeting that a complaint was presented to that meeting against [illegible] and this meeting concludes to deny her right of membership with us having the concurrence of men Friends herein. This meeting concludes adjourning to meet next month at Hopkinton.

Mary T. Collins Clerk for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 19th. 1863.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham Hannah M. Babcock Mary T. Collins & Mary T. Collins whose names being called are present except ones, the absence for whom a satisfactory reason is rendered. The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the first second and [illegible] our preparative meetings were, which we have selected those that contain the present state of this meeting and transmit them with this account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary T. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins who are appointed our representatives. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Mary T. Collins Clk. for the day

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 11 mo 23rd 1865.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named as Elizabeth Peckham Hannah M. Babcock from South Kingston, Electa Jane Collins and Mary T. Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are none present, a satisfactory reason is given for one.

One of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting informs that she attended the other was prevented by unpleasant weather. Mary E. Wells and Edith Hoxsie have been informed of their disownment from the society of Friends. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Western.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at South Kingston 12 mo 28th 1865.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingston Lois Perry and Dorcas G. Babcock, from Hopkinton Mary T. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are all present. We conclude purposing to meet next month at Western.

Dorcas G. Babcock Assistant Clk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 1st mo 25th 1866. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Lois Perry & Anna A. Gould from South Kingston, Ruth Ann Collins and Electa [illegible] from [illegible] [illegible] are all present. [illegible] [illegible] answers to the second and third queries [illegible] preparative meetings [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] a summary [illegible] and forward the same to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary S. Collins and Ruth [illegible] Collins who are appointed to attend our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence. This meeting unites with men friends in disowning William C. Collins his right of membership with Friends. The meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Westerly 2nd mo. [illegible] 1864. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingston Elizabeth Peckham and Mary T. Hazzard, from Hopkinton Mary S. Collins and [illegible] Jane Collins, whose names being called are present except [illegible].

We are informed one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended the other was prevented by indisposition, Received at this time a minute from the meeting for Sufferings in regard to changing the price of tuition at the New England Yearly Meeting Boarding School. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Westerly 3rd mo. [illegible] 1864.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are, from South Kingston Elizabeth Peckham and Mary T. Hazzard from Hopkinton Eleta Jane Collins and Mary S. Collins whose names being called are all present. This meeting unites with men friends, in receiving Thomas Browning as a member of our society.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at South Kingston.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 4th mo. 25th 1864. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingston Hannah M. Babcock and Dorcas G. Babcock, from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Mary L. Collins all present except one. The Queries have been read at this time with answers thereto from our preparative meetings from which we have selected those most descriptive of the present state of this meeting which we transmit to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Elizabeth Peckham [illegible] and Ruth Ann Collins who are appointed our representatives. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 5th mo. 23rd 1864.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingston [illegible] Hazzard & Hannah M. Babcock, from Hopkinton Electa Jane Collins and Anna M. Collins whose names being called are all present.

We are informed that two of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended. This Meeting concludes purposing meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 6th mo 27th 1864. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from

from South Kingston Elizabeth Peckham and [illegible]
A. Hazard from Hopkinton [illegible]
and Elecla Jane Collins, who are present except one.
We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston [illegible] mo 23rd 1864

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingstown Elizabeth Peckham and Susan A. Hazard, from Hopkinton Elecla Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are all present. The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers thereto from our Preparative meetings from which we have selected those most descriptive of the present state of this meeting which we transmit to our next Quarterly Meeting by Ruth Ann Collins and Anna A. Gould who are appointed our representatives. Our beloved friend Mary A. Peckham attended this meeting and presented a certificate from New Rutland Monthly Meeting dated 5th mo 1st 1864, endorsed by Butternut Quarterly Meeting held 2nd mo. 11th 1864 expressive of their unity with her as a Minister and her present religious engagement. Her company and religious labors have been very acceptable to us, as is also that of her husband accompanying her.

South Kingston Preparative meeting informs that Eliza A. Gardner wife of Daniel Gardner having removed within the limits of Providence Monthly Meeting request our certificate, and we appoint Elecla Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins to make the necessary enquiry and if nothing prevents to prepare one and present to a future meeting. The report of the Boarding School was at this time received and acceptably read and we re-appoint Elecla Jane Collins and Hannah A. Babcock a committee to select scholars for the charitable fund also to grant certificates to those who wish to attend the school. Received at this time the Minutes of New England Yearly Meeting, also Epistles from our Sisters of other Yearly Meetings and London General Epistle for 1863.

Our esteemed friend Elizabeth Peckham opened in this Meeting a concern which had for some time impressed her mind of visiting in Gospel love some of the Meetings in Sandwich Quarterly Meeting, also to appoint some if way should open for it, which claiming the deliberate consideration of this meeting was fully united with, having the unity of men friends therein and she left at liberty to proceed there as best wisdom may direct she being a minister in unity with us. The Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute. We unite with our men friends in liberating our esteemed friend Timothy B. Collins in his proposed religious engagements of visiting in gospel love the Quarterly Meetings of Dover, Falmouth and Salem and of appointing some if way should open for it.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 5th mo 26th 1864.

The preparative accounts present the representatives whose names are Elizabeth Peckham, Lois Perry, Mary B. Collins and Martha Collins, whose names being called are present. We are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended. The Committee appointed last month to prepare a Certificate for Eliza A. Gardner produced one which is acceptable to this Meeting and the clerk is directed to sign it on behalf of this meeting and forward to Providence Monthly Meeting.

The time being expired for which the Clerk and Assistant were appointed, the representatives propose the names of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock Assistant which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year. They also proposed for overseers of society the names of Lois Perry and Hannah M. Babcock for South Kingstown, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D. Collins for Hopkinton which being united with in this and the men's meeting they are appointed to that service for one year, They also brought in for overseers of the poor, the names of Hannah M. Babcock and Margaret S. Hall which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed for the year ensuing.

Our dear friend Elizabeth Peckham returned at this time a Certificate granted her last month with information that she has attended to the service to which she felt called, to the relief and satisfaction of her own mind. She also produced a minute from Pembroke Monthly Meeting dated 9th mo. 20th 1864, all of which is very acceptable to us.

We have received a communication from the Yearly Meeting directed to the Monthly Meetings constituting it, advising Friends to appoint a Committee on behalf of the Freedmen, and we appoint Mary D. Collins, Ruth Ann Collins, Margaret S. Hall, Lois Perry, Mary E. Babcock Sarah A. Perry and Catharine C. Harris a Committee to assist in collecting funds, clothing &c. for the Freedmen. This Meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 26th 1864.

The narrative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingston Lois Perry and Anna A. Gould, from Hopkinton Martha Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present.

The London printed Epistle of 1863 has been acceptably read containing much excellent counsel. A communication from the Meeting for Sufferings in regard to raising the board and tuition of the Yearly Meeting Boarding School has been received and read at this time.

Our esteemed friend Timothy C. Collins returned at this time a minute granted him in 7th mo. last and produced one from [illegible] Meeting dated 9th mo. 26th 1864 expressive of their satisfaction with his company and religious services. He also gave an interesting account of attending their Quarterly Meetings and visiting some meetings and families to the comfort and peace of his own mind which is very satisfactory to us. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 24th. 1864.

The Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named as, from South Kingston Caroline A. Hazard, Mary C. Hazard, from Hopkinton Mary D. Collins and [illegible] Collins all present except two. The Queries have been read in this meeting succeeded by answers to the 1st, 2d, and 10th from our Preparative Meetings from which we have selected those comprising the present state of this meeting and forward them to our next Quarterly Meeting by Anna A. Gould and Mary D. Collins whom we appoint our representatives. Excellent Epistles from our dear Sisters of London, Dublin, and New York Yearly Meeting have been acceptably read to our edification. [illegible] read a Minute from [illegible] Quarterly Meeting acknowledging the attendance there of our dear friend Timothy C. Collins.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 21st 1864.

Preparative accounts present the representatives

therein named are from South Kingston Dorcas G. Babcock & Elizabeth [illegible] from Hopkinton, Martha Collins & Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except two. The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting inform that one of them attended, the other was prevented by sickness in her family. Received and Read at this time a minute from Salem Quarterly Meeting held at Weare N. H. 20th 11th mo. 1864 acknowledging the attendance thereat of our esteemed friend Timothy B. Collins which is acceptable to us.
We conclude purposing to meet next month at Western.
Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 12th mo 21st 1864. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Electa Jane Collins, Ruth Ann Collins, from Hopkinton, Sarah A. Perry and Dorcas G. Babcock ~~from~~ South Kingston, whose names being called are present except two. We have in attendance at this time our esteemed friend Albert [illegible] Mason with a minute from Smithfield Monthly Meeting dated 10th month last expressing their unity and approval of this visit, his company & religious engagements among us have been very acceptable. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.
Dorcas G. Babcock Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 1st mo. 23rd 1865. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are, ~~from~~ South Kingston Sarah A. Perry Dorcas G. Babcock from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one.
The Queries have been read in this meeting

succeeded by answers to the 1st part of 10th from our Preparative meetings from which we select those containing the present state of this meetings and are to forward them to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary D. Collins and Sarah A. Perry whom we appoint our representatives. South Kingston Preparative Meeting informs that Elizabeth Watson request to become a member of our religious society and we appoint Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins a committee to visit her on that account and report to our next Monthly Meeting. This Meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 2nd mo. 20th 1865. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are, from South Kingston Anna A. Gould & Mary C. Hazard, from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Mary D. Collins whose names being called are present. We are informed the representatives to Quarterly Meeting both attended.

The committee appointed last month to visit Elizabeth Watson having visited her produced the following report viz. —— We your Committee appointed to visit Elizabeth Watson report that we have had an interview with her and are united in favor of granting her request all of which we submit to the Monthly Meeting.

Mary D. Collins
Ruth Ann Collins

Which is satisfactory to us and she is accordingly admitted a member of our religious society having the approbation of men friends also, and Anna A. Gould is appointed to informed her of the decision of this meeting. We unite with mens Friends in disowning William T. Watson a member of our religious Society. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place, if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Westerly, 3rd mo 2[illegible] 18[illegible],

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are, from South Kingston Lois Perry, & Anna A. Gould, from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins, whose names being called are all present except one.

The Friend appointed last month to inform Elizabeth Watson of her disownment as a member of our society informs that she has attended thereto. An excellent epistle from North Carolina has been received & read. We conclude purposing to meet next month at [illegible], if permitted. Anna A. Gould Clerk:

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 4th mo 24th 18[illegible],

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are, from South Kingstown Lois Perry & Anna A. Gould, from South Kingston Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read with answers thereto from our Preparative Meetings and those selected that comprise the present state of this meeting which we transmit to our next Quarterly Meeting by Anna A. Gould & Ruth Ann Collins who are our representatives.

Hopkinton Preparative Meeting informs that Margaret D. Hall has united herself in marriage with Robert Thomas, a person not a member of our religious society, they also inform that Eliza A. [illegible] has united herself in marriage with George Ellis, a person not a member of our religious society and we appoint Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins a Committee to have an interview with them

on that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to a [illegible] meeting.
This Meeting concludes adjourning to meet [illegible] at the place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 5th [illegible] Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are [illegible] [illegible] Electa Jane Collins and [illegible] Collins [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] The [illegible] [illegible] to treat with Margaret [illegible] present the following report viz.

We the committee appointed to treat with Margaret [illegible] for marrying one not a member of our religious society Report, that one of us has had communication with her. She seems willing to do what she can to make Friends satis[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to remain a member of our religious society. It is our judgment that her transgression be passed by and she retained a member.

Hopkinton 21st of 6 [illegible] 186[illegible]

Electa Jane Collins
Ruth Ann Collins Com

With which we unite and she is to remain a member of our [illegible] society having the unity of most friends present [illegible] appoint Mary L. Collins to inform her of the decision of this meeting. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment. This meeting concludes [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends, held at South Kingston [illegible] 6th mo [illegible] 186[illegible] Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are [illegible] G. Babcock, Caroline A. Hazzard, Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins, whose names being called are all present except [illegible] who was prevented by indisposition in her family. The Friend appointed last month to inform Margaret T. [illegible] the decision of this meeting informs she has attended thereto. This meeting concludes adjourning to meet next month at the [illegible].

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston [illegible] Friends held [illegible]. [illegible] Mary S. Collins and [illegible] whose names being called are present except [illegible].

The Queries have been read at this time [illegible] to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our Preparative Meeting and those selected which comprise the present [illegible] this meeting and we forward the same with [illegible] account to our next Quarterly Meeting [illegible] Caroline N. Hazzard [illegible] S. Collins whom we appoint as our representatives.

Received a certificate from New-Hartford Monthly Meeting in favor of Job Collins and his wife Ruth Collins which is as follows viz.

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Friends.

Dear Friends.— Job S. Collins informed this meeting that he and his wife is about to remove with his [illegible] to reside for a time within the verge of your meeting and request our certificate [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] outward affairs to satisfaction as far as appears. We therefore hereby commend them to your christian oversight, and remain your friends.

Signed on behalf and by direction of [illegible] Monthly Meeting held 7th of 6th month 1862.

Paul C. Macomber }
Julia L. Townsend } [illegible]

Robert Townsend Correspondent.

Received and acceptably read at this time a report of the Boarding School Committee and we appoint Mary [illegible] [illegible] Mary S. Collins a committee to select [illegible] for the Charitable Fund and grant Certificates to those who wish to attend the School. This Meeting authorizes the Clerk to forward a certificate to Providence Monthly Meeting in favor of Eliza A. Gardner [illegible] account of the person we having no [illegible].

[illegible] To Greenwich Monthly Meeting of Friends. Dear Friends,

Eliza A. Gardner wife of Daniel Gardner having removed within the limits of your meeting requests our certificate. This may certify that she is a member of this meeting and has settled her outward affairs to satisfaction. We recommend her to your Christian care and oversight and are your friends.

Signed on behalf of South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Friends held at South Kingstown 7th mo. 24th 1865.

[illegible] H. Collins Correspondent. Abel T. Collins / Anna A. Gould } Clerks

Received at this time Epistles from our sisters of [illegible] Meetings also the Minutes from our [illegible] [illegible]. We conclude adjourning to meet next month at Hopkinton.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 25th 1865.

[illegible] the representatives whose names are Lois Perry & Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown; Mary G. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are present except [illegible]

The time being expired for which the Clerk and Assistant were appointed the representatives propose the names of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

They also propose for Overseers of Society Lois Perry [illegible] Babcock for South Kingstown, Mary G. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins for Hopkinton. [illegible] Overseers of the [illegible] [illegible] and Emma Maria Collins all of which being united with by this and the men's meeting they are appointed to that service for the year ensuing. We are informed the representatives to Quarterly Meeting [illegible] attended.

[illegible]

[illegible] Yearly Meeting which has been re[illegible] [illegible] We conclude purposing [illegible] month [illegible] this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk,

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 25th 1865. Preparative [illegible] present the representatives therein named are from [illegible] Kingstown Anna A. Gould and Lois [illegible]; from Hopkinton Mary S. Collins and Electa Jane Collins [illegible] being called are present except one.

Hopkinton preparative Meeting informs that Margaret T. Sherman request a removal certificate to [illegible] Monthly Meeting and [illegible] Electa Jane Collins & Mary D. Collins a committee to [illegible] one if nothing appears to prevent and present [illegible] Meeting. We [illegible] purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould [illegible]

At South Kingstown Monthly [illegible] Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 25th [illegible] [illegible]parative accounts present the representatives [illegible] named are, from South Kingstown [illegible] [illegible]; from Hopkinton Ruth A[illegible] Collins and Mary D. Collins [illegible] are all present. The Queries have [illegible] [illegible] this meeting with answers to the 1st 2nd [illegible] [illegible] our Preparative Meetings from which [illegible] [illegible] and to transmit them to our next Quarterly [illegible] Lois R[illegible] Electa Jane Collins & Ruth [illegible] [illegible] are appointed [illegible] representatives.

The committee appointed to prepare a certificate for Margaret T. Sherman produced the following.

which is [illegible] to this meeting and the clerk is directed to sign [illegible] it.

To Rhode Island Monthly Meeting of Friends.

Dear Friends

Margaret S. Sherman having removed to live within your limits, request our certificate. We certify that she is a member of our religious Society, and a frequent attender of meetings, and has settled her outward affairs to satisfaction. We recommend her to your Christian care with desires for her growth and preservation in the Truth, and are your friends.

Signed on behalf &c. &c.

Abel F. Collins } Clerks
[illegible] Correspondent Anna A. Gould }

A very interesting Epistle from London was read to our satisfaction. Our esteemed friend Timothy C. Collins opened to this meeting a concern which had for some time rested on his mind to attend the approaching Smithfield Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in Smithfield, and appoint some meetings among Friends and others if way should open for it which was fully united with and he left at liberty to proceed as best Wisdom may direct. We concluded purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 7th 1865.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingstown Anna A. Gould & Lois Perry, from Hopkinton Martha Collins & Ruth Ann Collins, whose names being called are all present except one. We are informed that two of the representatives attended the Quarterly Meeting agreeable to appointment.

Our esteemed friend Timothy C. Collins returned at this time the certificate granted him last month with the information that he attended to it.

[illegible] to which he felt himself called to the same [illegible] [illegible]. He also produced a minute from [illegible] Monthly Meeting dated 11th mo 9th [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Visitors of [illegible] and New York Quarterly Meetings [illegible] with much excellent council.

Received and read a Minute from the Quarterly Meeting in regard to changing the place of holding the Quarterly Meeting from Somerset to Fall River with which this meeting unites. We conclude purposing to meet next at Western.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Western 12th mo 25th 1865.

Preparative accounts present the representatives their names are from South Kingston Lois Perry Dorcas G. Babcock, from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins, whose names being called are all present. Interesting Epistles from Baltimore, North Carolina and Ohio containing much excellent council have been read to our comfort and edification.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at [illegible] 1st mo. [illegible] 1866.

Preparative accounts being present the representatives their names are from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins from South Kingston Lois Perry and Dorcas G. Babcock whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read at this time to the meeting [illegible] this meeting and are to forward them with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Electa Jane Collins and Lois Perry who are appointed our representatives.

Received at this time a certificate in favor of Eunice W. Batty from Weare Monthly Meeting N. H. which this meeting accepts and is as follows viz.

To South Kingstown Monthly Meeting
of Friends R. I.

Dear Friends, — Eunice W. Batty having removed to reside within the limits of your meeting request our certificate. These may certify that she is a ~~member~~ member of this meeting, of orderly deportment and while with us was diligent in the attendance of our meetings; she has also settled her outward affairs to satisfaction. We therefore commend her to your christian care and oversight.

Signed on behalf of Weare Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Henniker 12th mo. 14th 1865

Joseph Hoag
Abigail H. [illegible] Clerks

Abijah Johnson
Correspondent.

Received and read an interesting report of the committee in charge of the Friends mission of Freed-people at Washington. Read at this time an Epistle from our Sisters of Indiana Yearly Meeting which is strengthening and encouraging to us.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place, if permitted.

[illegible] A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 19th of 2nd mo. 1866.

Preparative account being present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth A. Peckham and Mary A. Gould from South Kingston, Electa Jane Collins and Martha Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except three. One of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting [illegible] they attended. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place, if permitted.

Dorcas [illegible] Clerk for the day.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 2nd mo 1st 18[illegible].

Representative accounts present the representatives. Their names are Elizabeth Watson and Dorcas S. Babcock from South Kingston, Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are present except one who has given a satisfactory reason for absence.

Interesting Epistles from Indiana and [illegible] Yearly Meetings have been acceptably read at this time.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at South Kingston, if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 4th mo [illegible] 18[illegible]

Representative accounts present the representatives. Their names are Elizabeth Watson & Dorcas Babcock from South Kingston, Electa Jane Collins & Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are all present except one who was prevented by indisposition.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers thereto from our preparative meetings and those [illegible] respecting our present state which we are to forward with an account to our next Quarterly Meeting by Anna A. Gould and Electa Jane Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place, if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston [illegible] mo. [illegible] 18[illegible].
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Sarah A. Perry, Dorcas G. Babcock, Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins, whose names being called are present except one. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended agreeably to appointment. This Meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingston 6th mo. 25th 18[illegible]
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are from South Kingston Caroline Hazard and Lois Perry, from Hopkinton Ruth Ann Collins and Mary T. Collins, whose names being called are present except two, for the absence of both a satisfactory reason is assigned. Received and read at this time the London General Epistle to our mutual encouragement and edification.
We concluded purposing to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held South Kingston 7th mo 23rd 18[illegible].
Preparative accounts being present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingston, Electa Jane Collins and Mary T. Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are all present.
The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our preparative meetings; and those selected comprising our present state which we transmit to our next Quarterly Meeting by Mary E. Hazard and Ruth Ann Collins who are representatives.

Our much esteemed Friend David H. Barnet attended this meeting with a minute of concurrence from Butternuts Quarterly Meeting N.Y. His company and religious labors have been truly acceptable and encouraging to us. [illegible] accepting read at this time Report of the Boarding School Committee and we appoint Mary B. Collins and Dorcas G. Babcock a committee to select scholars for the benefit of the Charitable Fund, and grant certificates to those who wish to attend the school. Received at this time Epistles from our Sisters of other Yearly Meetings; also received the Minutes of our own Yearly Meeting.

The meeting concludes adjourning to meet next month at Hopkinton.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th month 27th 1866.

Preparative accounts present the representatives herein named are Anna A. Gould Lois Perry from South Kingston; Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are all present.

We are informed that one of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended, the other was prevented by indisposition.

The time having expired for which the Clerk and Assistant were appointed, the representatives are united in proposing the reappointment of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant which being satisfactory to the meeting, they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year. The representatives also propose for overseers of Society the same that served last year viz. Lois Perry and Hannah N. Babcock for South Kingston, Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins for Hopkinton which being united with in this, and the [illegible] meetings they are appointed for one year.

For Overseers of the poor the same named that served last year viz. Hannah A. Babcock and Anna Maria Collins which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the year ensuing. This meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month.

Anna A. Gould, Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo. 23rd 1866.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry & Dorcas G. Babcock for South Kingston, Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins for Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one. Read an excellent Epistle from our Sisters of London Yearly Meeting which is very acceptable and encouraging to us.

We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 22nd 1866.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry & Sarah A. Perry for South Kingston, Electa Jane Collins & Martha Collins for Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one. The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st. 2nd & 10th from our Preparative Meetings and those selected which appear to comprise the present state of this meeting, which we transmit to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport by Lois Perry and Mary D. Collins who are appointed our representatives.

Our esteemed friends William A. Richardson and wife attended this meeting. Their company and religious labors are acceptable to us.

Read at this time to our mutual edification. Epistles from [illegible] of Dublin and [illegible] feelings which are [illegible] and strengthening [illegible]

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 26th 1866.

One Preparative account present, the representatives therein named are Anna Maria Collins and Electa Jane Collins for Hopkinton, but one present. No account from South Kingston. We are informed the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeable to appointment. Interesting Epistles from Baltimore, and North Carolina have been read containing much excellent council and encouragement.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Western if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 24th of 12th mo. 1866.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry & Dorcas G Babcock for South Kingston, Ruth Ann Collins and Electa Jane Collins for Hopkinton; whose names being called are all present.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place, if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock
Assistant Clerk.

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 28th of 1st mo. 1867.

Preparative Accounts being present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry & Dorcas G.

Babcock from South Kingston, Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins for Hopkinton whose names being called are all present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and [illegible] have been read in this meeting and we have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] forward to the next Quarterly Meeting to be held in [illegible] by Electa Jane Collins & Dorcas G. Babcock whom we appoint our representatives.
We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock Assistant
Clerk.

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 2nd mo 25th. 1867. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named as Lois Perry & Susan A. Perry from South Kingston & Ruth Ann Collins & Electa Jane Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were assigned.

We are informed one of the representatives attended the Quarterly Meeting, the other gave satisfactory reason for not attending. An excellent Epistle from Ohio Yearly Meeting was read to our edification. We conclude, purposing to meet next month at this place, if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 25th of 3rd mo. 1867. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named as Mary [illegible] Collins, Mary [illegible] Babcock from South Kingstown, [illegible] [illegible] Collins & Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are all present except one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason is given. Our Esteemed Friend Eli Jessup attended this [illegible] Meeting [illegible] by [illegible] Quarterly Meeting [illegible] uniting this meeting with her as a minister [illegible] present religious engagement. [illegible]

This Meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at South Kingstown.

Mary W. Collins Clerk for the day.

South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 7th 22nd. 1867.

[illegible] the representatives [illegible] are Mary W. Collins, Lois Perry from South Kingstown, from Hopkinton Mary [illegible] Collins & Electa Jane Collins, whose names being called are present. The Queries have been read [illegible] with answers thereto from our Preparative Meetings, and having selected those describing our present state, are to forward them to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Caroline [illegible] & Mary J. Collins. Read at this time [illegible] our sisters [illegible] Western and Iowa Yearly Meetings which are edifying and encouraging to us.

Hopkinton friends produced a certificate in favor of [illegible] Collins and wife from Westerly [illegible] with which the meeting unites and the Clerk is directed to sign. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place, if permitted.

Anna A. Guild Clerk.

South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown [illegible] [illegible] the representatives [illegible] from South Kingstown, [illegible] Hopkinton, whose names being called are present except one. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they were in attendance.

Our esteemed friends David S. [illegible] attended this meeting with a certificate from [illegible] Monthly Meeting, [illegible] expressing their unity with her as minister and with her present religious engagement. Her company and Christian labors [illegible] been very acceptable to us. The meeting adjourns to meet next month at this place.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 6th mo 24th 1867. Preparative Accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry and Lydia [illegible] Gould from South Kingston, Mary D. Collins & Ruth Ann Collins from Westerly whose names being called are present except [illegible] who was prevented by indisposition. The meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 7th mo 22nd 1867. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Mary C. Hazard Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown, Mary D. Collins & Eliza Ann Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read at this time, with the answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th and we have selected those most descriptive of our present state which we transmit to the next Quarterly Meeting by Mary D. Collins and Mary C. Hazard whom we appoint our representatives. This meeting unites with men friends in disowning David H. Townsend his right of membership for uniting in marriage with one not a member of our Religious Society.

Men friends propose to appoint a committee to visit families and individuals of this Monthly Meeting; And they invite this meeting to appoint a similar committee, to unite with them; we accordingly appoint Mary L. Collins and Lois Perry to unite with them in their labor of love.

This Meeting conclude purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 5th mo 26th 1867.

The Preparative accounts furnish the representatives here named are Mary W. Collins & Lois Perry from South Kingston; Martha Collins & Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton. We are informed the representatives appointed to attend the last Quarterly Meeting attended according to appointment.

The time having expired for which the Clerk & Assistant were appointed, the representatives proposed the reappointment of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant which being satisfactory to the Meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year.

The representatives also propose for Overseers of Society Lois Perry & Hannah M. Babcock for South Kingstown. Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins for Hopkinton which being satisfactory to this meeting they are appointed to that service for one year having the unity of men friends herein. Also for Overseers of the Poor Mary C. Hazard for South Kingston & Anna Maria Collins for Hopkinton which being united with they are appointed to that service for the year ensuing.

Received at this time and acceptably read, the Report of the Boarding School Committee and we reappoint Mary L. Collins and Dinah S. Lebrook a committee to select scholars for the benefit of the Charitable Fund and to grant certificates to those who wish to attend the School. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 25th 18

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named viz Ruth Ann Collins Electa Jane Collins from Hopkinton. Anna A. Gould and Mary W. Collins from South Kingstown whose names being called are present. Our esteemed friend William Jenkins attended this meeting with a Minute of concurrence from Alliance Monthly Meeting of Friends held 30th of 4th mo. endorsed by Damascus Quarterly Meeting Ohio held 11th of 5th mo. 1867. His company and religious services have been very acceptable to us. We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo. 23rd 1867

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Caroline A. Hazard Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown; Mary S. Collins and Martha Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our Preparative Meetings, and having selected those describing our present state we transmit the same with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by Electa Jane Collins and Mary C. Hazard who are appointed our representatives. The London General Epistle for 1866 has been read to our edification.

We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 25th 1867. Preparative Accounts present the representatives therein named are Caroline A. Hazard and Elizabeth P. Peckham from South Kingstown; Martha Collins and [illegible] from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one. We are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended, the other did not. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place.

A A Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 23rd of 12th mo. 1867. Preparative Accounts present the representatives therein named are Ruth Ann Collins Mary D. Collins Elizabeth Watson and Dorcas G. Babcock whose names being called are all present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted

A. A. Gould

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 1st mo 27th 1868. Preparative Accounts present the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Elizabeth Peckham, Electa Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned. The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our Preparative Meetings and those selected comprising our present

[illegible] which are [illegible] to [illegible] next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence by [illegible] Collins and Anna A. Gould who are appointed [illegible] representatives.
[illegible] friends inform they are united [illegible] the appointment of [illegible] Elder with which this meeting unites. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A Gould [illegible]

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 25th 1867.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Caroline N. Hazard Elizabeth Peckham Martha Collins & Mary D. Collins whose names being called are present except two. We are informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended, the other did not. We conclude purposing to meet next month at Western if permitted.

Anna A [illegible]

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 23rd of 12th month 1867.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Ruth Ann Collins & Mary D. Collins Elizabeth [illegible] and [illegible] Babcock whose names being called are all present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was rendered.
We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould [illegible]

(Mistake in repetition)
[illegible] in copying, being a repetition from the previous [illegible])

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western [illegible]
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould [illegible] -ham Eleta Jane Collins and Ruth Ann Collins

[illegible]

[illegible] 2 mo 24th 1868. [illegible] the representatives therein named are Sarah [illegible] Martha Collins & Ruth Ann Collins whose names being called are present except three [illegible] prevented by indisposition. We are informed that one of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly meeting attended, the other rendered a reasonable excuse [illegible] absence. We conclude purposing [illegible] next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. [illegible] Clerk

At [illegible] Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at ~~Western~~ South Kingstown [illegible] 27 1868. Preparative [illegible] present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry [illegible] and Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are present except one.

Our last Monthly Meeting was omitted in consequence of a [illegible] snow-storm rendering the roads impassable for carriages.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers thereto from our preparative meetings and those selected comprising our present state which we are to transmit with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Mary [illegible] & [illegible] G. Babcock as our representatives.

An excellent testimony concerning our late beloved friend [illegible] Collins has been accepted, read in this meeting, in joint session and feelingly united with [illegible] him as he followed Christ.

Hopkinton Preparative [illegible]

that Harriet E. [illegible] request to become a member of our religious society, and we appoint Ruth Ann Collins and Mary E. Collins a committee to have an opportunity with her on that account & report at a future meeting. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

[illegible] Gould Clk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 3rd month 25th 1868. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry, Mary Anna Gould, Ruth Ann Collins, Electa Jane Collins whose names being called are all present. The representatives to Quarterly meeting inform they both attended. The committee appointed last month to visit Harriet E. [illegible] have produced the following report viz.

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends. The committee appointed last month to visit Harriet E. [illegible] on account of her request to become a member of the religious society of friends, Report that a part of the Committee has had an opportunity with her and are both united in granting her request, which we submit to the judgment of the monthly meeting. On behalf of the committee

Ruth Ann Collins

Which this meeting accepts and we are united in receiving her a member of our religious society, having the unity of men friends therein, and we appoint Electa Jane Collins to inform her of the decision of this meeting. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown 6th m. 22nd 1868.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Ann E. Babcock from South Kingstown Ruth Ann Collins and Anna Maria Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one; for the absence of one a sufficient reason has been rendered.

The friends appointed to inform Harriet E. Stafford that she is admitted a member of our religious society informs this meeting that she has attended thereto.

Our esteemed Friend Daniel McPherson a minister of Salem Monthly Meeting Missouri attended this meeting with a Certificate therefrom, endorsed by [illegible] Quarterly Meeting of friends expressing their unity with him as a Minister and with his present religious engagements. His company and religious services have been very acceptable and encouraging to us.

We conclude [illegible] to meet at the [illegible] next month if permitted.

[illegible] Clk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown [illegible] 1868. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois P[illegible] [illegible] Babcock from South Kingstown Ruth Ann Collins and Anna Maria Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read at this time and answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meeting, and those selected comprising a summary of our present state which we transmit to the [illegible] Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport by Mary W. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins who are appointed representatives. One of the Committee appointed 6th month 22nd 1868 to [illegible] Elizabeth [illegible] wife of George [illegible] (formerly Collins) [illegible] herself in marriage with one not of our society informed this meeting [illegible] that [illegible] not [illegible] continued [illegible].

618 received at this time, the Report of the Boarding School committee which has been acceptably read. Also received minutes of our last Yearly Meeting and the London Printed Epistle of 1887. [illegible] [illegible] proposing to visit next month at Hopkinton of [illegible]

Anna M. Gould Clk

At South Kingstown monthly meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 5th mo 26th 188[illegible] Representatives [illegible] present the representatives [illegible] named are [illegible] Perry, Mary W. Collins from South Kingstown, Anna E. Collins and Phebe J. Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform that one attended and the other was prevented by indisposition. The time having expired for which the Clerk and Assistant were appointed, the representatives propose the appointment of Anna M. Gould for Clerk and Lorena J. Babcock for Assistant which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the year ensuing. The representatives also propose for overseers [illegible] the appointment of [illegible] Perry & Hannah M. Babcock for South Kingstown & Mary L. Collins & Ruth Ann Collins for Hopkinton which being satisfactory to the meeting they are likewise appointed to that service for the ensuing year, having the unity of men friends therein. Also for Overseers of the poor Mary W. Collins for South Kingstown, and Anna Maria Collins for Hopkinton which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service one year. Men friends inform they have united in the appointment of overseers of [illegible] [illegible] and Wm. H. Perry for South Kingston [illegible] A. Collins and [illegible] Collins [illegible] with which this meeting unites. Read at this time [illegible] edition [illegible] printed [illegible] which is very acceptable to us.

This Meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted. [illegible]

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 9 mo 21st 1868. [illegible] the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham [illegible] Perry from South Kingstown, Mary L. Collins and Electa Jane Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except two. This meeting unites with men friends in Isaac Collins from his right of membership with our religious society. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 10mo 26th 1868.

Preparative account [illegible] the representatives therein named are Sarah A. Perry, [illegible] from South Kingstown, Electa Jane Collins and Maria Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are absent except one. A satisfactory reason is assigned for the absence of one.

The Queries have been read with answers to the 1st. 2nd. and [illegible] from our preparative meetings and we are to forward those describing our state to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River Electa Jane Collins and Anna A. Gould who are appointed our representatives. We conclude purposing to [illegible] next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 23rd 1865. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lucas G. Babcock Mary G. Hazard from South Kingstown, Ruth Ann Collins & Anna [illegible] Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting report that one of them attended, the other was prevented by indisposition. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Western if permitted.

[illegible] Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 12th mo. 28th 1865. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary P. Babcock Lucas G. Babcock from South Kingstown [illegible] Collins & Ruth Ann Collins from [illegible] whose names being called are present except one. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted

[illegible] Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 1st mo. [illegible] Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Susan [illegible] Lucas G. Babcock from South Kingstown [illegible] and Anna Maria Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are all present. The [illegible] were read and answered [illegible] answers to the 1st, 2nd, & 10th from our Preparative Meetings from which we have [illegible] those most descriptive of our present state and forward to our next Quarterly

[illegible] Dorcas F. Babcock
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting [illegible] held at Westerly 2nd mo. 22nd 1869. Preparative [illegible] representatives therefrom [illegible] being called are present, also [illegible] from Hopkinton. We are informed the [illegible] appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting [illegible] and sufficient reasons were given therefor. [illegible] Certificate from Falmouth [illegible] chain, in favor of Harriet Dalton which is acceptable to us, and is as follows.

To South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Friends

Dear Friends, Harriet Dalton Collins, having removed to reside within your limits, [illegible] certificate. This may certify on her behalf that she is a member of this meeting, of orderly [illegible] deportment, a frequent attender of meetings and has settled her pecuniary affairs to satisfaction so far as appears. We recommend her to your christian care and are your friends.

Signed by direction of Falmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Westbrook [illegible] mo. [illegible] 1869.

Calvin S. Goddard } Clerks.
Jane C. Minot }

John W. Minot Correspondent.

We received at this time an "Account of the Sufferings of Friends of North Carolina Yearly Meeting in support of their Testimony against War from 1861 to 1865."

This Meeting concludes [illegible] next month at this place if [illegible].

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 3rd mo. 22nd 1869
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Susan A. Perry Lucas & Elizabeth [illegible] from South Kingstown, [illegible] [illegible] & [illegible] Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called all absent except one. We conclude adjourning to meet next month at Kingstown [illegible].

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown 4th mo. 26th 186[illegible]
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary C. Hazard Lydia G. Gould from South Kingstown, Mary L. Collins and Anna Maria Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers thereto from our Preparative Meetings from which those are selected conveying our present state, and we transmit the same with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich by Mary L. Collins, and Anna A. Gould, who are appointed our representatives. We conclude adjourning to meet at this place next month as [illegible].

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingston [illegible]
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Wilson [illegible] [illegible] from South Kingston, Mary L. Collins & [illegible] Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

The representatives to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] meeting concludes, [illegible] to
meet next month at this time.

Anna A. [illegible] Clerk.

At [illegible] Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown 6th mo. 21st 1869. Representative accounts present the representatives named are Lois Perry and Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown whose names [illegible] [illegible] are present. No account from Hopkinton. Our esteemed friend Zacheus H. Powell a minister attended this meeting with a Minute in concurrence from Scipio Monthly Meeting held 17th of 3rd mo. 1869. endorsed by Scipio Quarterly Meeting N.Y. His company and religious services have been very acceptable to us. Our esteemed friend Wm. R. Taber, companion to our friend Zacheus H. Powell attended this meeting with a satisfactory Minute from Scipio Monthly Meeting N.Y. His company and [illegible] deportment has been acceptable to us and the Clerk is directed to sign their Minute prepared by men's meeting. Received and read at this time the London printed Epistle which is edifying and encouraging to us. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next at the [illegible] [illegible].

Anna A. [illegible] Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at South Kingstown 7th mo. 20th 1869. Representative accounts present the representatives therein named are Sarah A. Perry Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown, Mary L. Collins and [illegible] Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present [illegible]. The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st, 2nd, and 10th from our preparative meetings, from which there are collected [illegible] our present state which we are to forward to our next Quarterly Meeting, by the hand of [illegible] by Mary D. Collins and Ruth Anna Collins who are appointed our representatives.

Received and read at this time a Report of the Boarding School Committee which is acceptable to us. We conclude proposing to meet next month at Hopkinton if permitted.

Anna A Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo [illegible] Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary P. Babcock Elizabeth Peckham from South Kingstown Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one. The representatives to Quarterly meeting informed they both attended. The time having expired for which the Clerk and Assistant were appointed, the representatives propose the reappointment of Anna A. Gould for Clerk, and Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant which being united with they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year. The time having expired for which the Overseers were appointed they propose the appointment of Lois Perry and Hannah G. Babcock as Overseers of Society for South Kingstown, Mary D Collins and Ruth Ann Collins for Hopkinton with which we unite; they are accordingly all appointed to that service for one year having the unity of men friends therein.

The representatives also proposed for Treasurers of the year Anna A Gould and [illegible] Collins which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the year.

Acceptably received at this time the Minutes of our last Yearly Meeting, also Epistles from our Sisters of other Yearly Meetings. We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Hopkinton 9th [illegible] Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown, Ruth Ann Collins and Mary L Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except two. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown [illegible] 63. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown Martha Collins and Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one. The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings and having selected those comprising our present state, we are to forward the same with our account to our next Quarterly meeting to be held at Fall River by Ruth Ann Collins and Anna A Gould who are appointed our representatives. Read at this time an Epistle from our sisters of London Yearly Meeting with which we are strengthened [illegible] in the [illegible]. The committee appointed some time since to visit in Gospel love the families and individuals of this monthly Meeting [illegible] the following report viz....

We the committee appointed some time since to visit the families of this monthly meeting and those within our limits more or less connected with the society, report — that we proceeded, during the winter following our appointment, to visit the families of South Kingstown Preparative Meeting, visiting all the members of that meeting except four and most of those living within the limits of that meeting whose sympathies were with friends.

The way did not at that time seem to open to perform the residue of said service. In making this report we desire to acknowledge the mercy and goodness of God in strengthening us to perform such labor in the love of the Gospel as may [illegible], to the peace of our own minds and we trust to the encouragement of those visited.

Hopkinton 10th month 24th 1869.

For the committee, Peter [illegible] Collins.

Mary [illegible] Collins.

Which is accepted by this meeting. We conclude purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted. Anna [illegible] Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo 22nd 18[illegible] Preparative meetings present the representatives their names are Mary Anna Smith, [illegible] Babcock from South Kingstown, [illegible] Collins and Mary L. Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are present.

The representatives to Quarterly meeting inform they both attended agreeable to appointment.

Acceptably read at this time to our edification Epistles from our sisters of Dublin, New York, Baltimore and North Carolina Yearly Meetings and may we all profit thereby.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Western if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of [illegible] held at Western 12th mo. 27th 1869.
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Susan A. Perry Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown [illegible] from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one who was prevented by indisposition.
Read at this time Epistles containing much [illegible] counsel from [illegible] Yearly Meeting which are [illegible]. The meeting concludes purposing to meet next month [illegible] if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western [illegible]
Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown, Ruth Ann Collins and [illegible] Jane Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present. The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings; [illegible] forward the same with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence by [illegible] P. Babcock and Ruth Ann Collins who are appointed our representatives.
Acceptably read to our edification an Epistle from Iowa Yearly Meeting of women friends [illegible] us afresh to feel that the dear [illegible] with [illegible]. The meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Westerly 2nd mo 21st 1870.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Foster Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown, Mary D. Collins and Eliza Ann Collins whose names being called are present except one. Women informed the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended agreeably to appointment. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted

Anna A. Gould Cl

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Western 3rd month 21st 1870.

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown Mary D. Collins & Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present. A lively Epistle was read to our mutual comfort & encouragement from our sisters of Canada Yearly Meeting which is very acceptable.

We conclude purposing to meet at South Kingstown next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Cl

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown 4th mo 21st 1870

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Anna Gould Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown Mary D. Collins and Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are all present.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers thereto from our preparative meetings, from which those are selected comprising our present state which with the account we forward to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at

East Greenwich by Anna A. Gould and Eliza Jane Collins who are appointed our representatives. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown 5th mo. 23rd 1870. Representative accounts present the representatives therein named are Susan F. Babcock, Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown, Ruth Ann Collins and Eliza Jane Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present. The representatives to Quarterly Meeting inform they attended according to appointment. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould. Clk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown 6th mo 27th 1870. Representative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary Winslow Collins, Mary S. Babcock, from South Kingstown, Ruth Ann Collins and [illegible] Maria Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one, who was prevented by indisposition. Our beloved friend Caroline E. Talbot attended this meeting and produced a certificate from Short Creek Monthly Meeting of friends held at Mt. Pleasant Ohio 11th mo 20th 1869, expressive of their unity with her as a minister and with her present religious engagement. Her company and religious services have been very acceptable and encouraging to us. Our beloved friend [illegible] attended this meeting as companion to our friend Caroline E. Talbot with a certificate from [illegible] Monthly Meeting [illegible]. Her company and religious services have [illegible] —

very acceptable to us. Our esteemed friend [illegible] attended this meeting with a minute from Litchfield Monthly Meeting held at Litchfield [illegible] mo 24th [illegible] expressing their unity with her as a minister, and with her prospect of religious engagement.

Her company and religious service have been very acceptable to us. Our esteemed friend [illegible] attended this meeting as companion to his wife Sarah W. Farr with a minute of concurrence from Litchfield Monthly Meeting held 12th [illegible] His company and solid deportment have been acceptable to us. The clerk is directed to prepare and sign returning minutes for these friends that are now with us. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown 7th mo 25th [illegible]

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham [illegible] G. Babcock from South Kingstown Mary A. [illegible] & Ruth Ann Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except one. The Queries have been read at this time succeeded by answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings, and having selected those comprising our present state we are to forward the same with some account to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Newport by Mary [illegible] Collins and Mary [illegible] Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet meeting next month at Hopkinton if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 5th mo 22nd [illegible].

Preparative meetings forward the reports. Representatives thereto appointed are Lydia A. Gould [illegible] J. Babcock from South Kingstown, Mary E. Collins and [illegible] E. [illegible] from Hopkinton whose names being called all present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason has been assigned. We are informed the representatives to Quarterly Meeting both attended agreeably to appointment.

The time having expired for which the Clerk and Assistant were appointed the representatives propose the reappointment of Anna A. Gould for Clerk and [illegible] J. Babcock for Assistant which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the year ensuing.

The time having expired for which the overseers were appointed, the representatives propose the names of [illegible] Perry and Hannah A. Babcock for South Kingstown, Mary E. Collins and [illegible] for Hopkinton which being approved by this and the mens meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensueing year. For Overseers of the poor Mary E. Hazard and Anna Maria Collins which are satisfactory to the meeting and they are appointed to that service for the year. Received at this time the report of the Boarding School committee, transcripts of Epistles from our Sisters of other Yearly Meetings, also the Minutes of our last Yearly Meeting and the London general Epistle. This meeting concludes proposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo [illegible] 1870. One Preparative Meeting account being present the representatives therein named are Sarah A. Perry and Mary L. Collins whose names being called are present. We have received no account from South Kingstown.

The report of the Boarding school has been acceptably read; also the London General Epistle has been read to our satisfaction and comfort.

This meeting concludes purposing to meet at this place next month if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly of Women friends held at Hopkinton 23d of 10th mo 1870

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Mary R. Babcock, Mary L. Collins from South Kingstown, Harriet L. Collins and Electa Jane Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are present except one.

The Queries have been read at this time with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from our Preparative Meetings and those selected concerning our present state which we transmit to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River by Mary L. Collins Electa Jane Collins and Mary L. Collins whom we appoint our representatives.

Acceptably read at this time, Epistles from London, Dublin, New York, Baltimore & North Carolina Yearly Meeting of women Friends, all of which abound with much excellent counsel and encouragement.

We conclude this meeting purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton [illegible]

Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould, Mary [illegible] from South Kingstown, Electa [illegible] and Mary [illegible] Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are all present. We are informed that one of the representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting attended, the other did not.

An excellent Epistle from Ohio Yearly Meeting has been acceptably read at this time. This meeting concludes adjourning to meet next month at [illegible] in [illegible].

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 12th [illegible]

Preparative accounts being presented it appears that the representatives therein named are [illegible] Collins, Anna M. Collins from Hopkinton, Mary [illegible] and Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown whose names being called are present except one for whose absence a reasonable excuse was given.

Read at this time an [illegible] Epistle from [illegible] Yearly Meeting. We conclude [illegible] to meet next month [illegible] of [illegible]

Dorcas G. Babcock
Assistant Clerk

At South Kingstown Preparative Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Western 23rd [illegible]

Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Dorcas G. Babcock, Mary [illegible] Babcock from South Kingstown, Mary L. [illegible] and Catharine E. Knowles from Hopkinton whose names being called one was present.

The Queries with answers to the [illegible] have been read in this meeting and from them and which the following as being descriptive of our state, take and transmit the same by [illegible] and Dorcas G. Babcock whom are appointed representatives to attend the next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Providence. This meeting concludes purposing to meet again next month at this place if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock
Assistant Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women Friends held at Westerly [illegible] 1871. Representative accounts present the representatives therein named are Elizabeth Peckham, Dorcas G. Babcock from South Kingstown, Katharine E. Knowles and Mary [illegible] from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except two for whose absence a reasonable excuse was rendered. This meeting is informed that one of the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended the other was prevented by poor health. Read at this time a very interesting and instructive Epistle from [illegible] Yearly Meeting of women friends. We conclude purposing to meet again next month at this place if permitted.

Dorcas G. Babcock
Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held was omitted in [illegible] month on account of a very severe storm.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown [illegible] mo 24th 1871. Preparative accounts being presented the representatives therein named are Anna A. Gould [illegible] Babcock from South Kingstown, [illegible] Collins and Anna Elizabeth Collins from Hopkinton. The Queries with the answers from our preparative meetings have been read, and from them we select those most descriptive of our present state and transmit the same by Mary C. Hazard and Mary [illegible] Collins as representatives to attend our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at East Greenwich. Interesting Epistles from Iowa and [illegible] [illegible] meetings have been read [illegible] to our edification. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown [illegible] 1871. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Lois Perry, Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown, Eliza [illegible] Collins, and Mary D. Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are present except one. One of the representatives to Quarterly meeting informed that she attended, the other gave a sufficient reason for her absence. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at South Kingstown, 6th mo [illegible] 1871. Preparative accounts present the representatives therein named are Eliza [illegible] Collins, [illegible] from Hopkinton, Anna A. Gould and [illegible] from South Kingstown [illegible]

This Meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at South Kingstown 7mo 28th 1874. Preparative accounts present the representatives, whose names are Mary C. Hazard, Lydia A. Gould from South Kingstown, Eliza Ann Collins and Catharine C. Knowles from Hopkinton, whose names being called are present except one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned. The Queries with answers to the 3rd and 10th from our preparative meetings have been read, and from them we select those most descriptive of our present state, which we are to forward to next Quarterly Meeting to be held at [illegible] [illegible] Collins and Mary C. Hazard who are appointed representatives to said meeting. The meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at Hopkinton if permitted.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 8th mo 25th 1874. Preparative accounts present the representatives whose names are Dorcas G. Babcock, Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown, Catharine C. Knowles and Mary [illegible] Collins from Hopkinton; whose names being called are present except two for whom satisfactory reasons were given. This being the time for appointing the clerk and Assistant are appointed, also [illegible] Anna A. Gould was proposed for Clerk and Dorcas G. Babcock for Assistant, which being satisfactory to the meeting they are appointed to that service for the ensuing year. Also proposed for [illegible] [illegible] Perry and Hannah M. Babcock from South Kingstown; Mary D. Collins and Ruth [illegible] Collins from Hopkinton which being approved by the meeting [illegible] having the unity of men friends therein, they are accordingly appointed to those stations for the year ensuing. Also appointed Mary [illegible] Collins [illegible]

Catharine E. Knowles for overseers of the poor. We are informed that the representatives to Quarterly Meeting attended. We have received at this time the minutes of the last Yearly Meeting, Also an Epistle from New England Yearly Meeting of Women Friends to their Christian Sisters, which has been acceptably read. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Mary D. Collins
Clerk for to day

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends held at Hopkinton 9th mo 21st 1871. Preparative reports presented the representatives therein named are [illegible] P. Babcock, Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown and Ann Collins and Mary D. Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except two, for the absence of one a sufficient reason was given. This meeting concludes purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted. Anna A. Gould Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at Hopkinton 10th mo 23rd 1871. Preparative reports being presented the representatives therein named are Mary P. Babcock, Anna A. Gould from South Kingstown and Anna E. Collins and Harriet D. Collins from Hopkinton whose names being called are present except two, for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given. The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read, from which we have selected those descriptive of the present state of this meeting and transmit the same with our account by Mary P. Babcock and Anna E. Collins as representatives to our next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Fall River. We conclude purposing to meet next month at this place if permitted.

Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held at Hopkinton 11th mo. 27th 1871. Preparative reports presented the representatives therein named are [illegible] P. Babcock, Anna Almy Gould from South Kingstown, Harriet D. Collins and Anna Elizabeth Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are present except one. We are informed the representatives to Quarterly meeting did not attend.

Received and read at this time "The Loving
Epistle fraught with most excellent counsel and en
-couragement. This meeting concludes purposing to meet ne
month at Western if permitted. Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women frie
held at Western 12th mo 25th 1871. Preparative accounts pre
the representatives therein named are Lois Bray, Mary P. Bab
from South Kingstown; Harriet Fuller Collins and Electa Jan
Collins from Hopkinton, whose names being called are pre
We adjourn to meet at this place the usual time next mon
if permitted.
Electa Jane Collins
Clerk for the day.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women frie
held at Western 1st mo 22nd 1872. Preparative accounts in
-form the representatives therein named are Harriet S. Coll
Electa Jane Collins from Hopkinton, Mary P. Babcock & Dorca
G. Babcock from South Kingstown whose names being called
are present. The Queries have been read with answers to the
1st, 2nd and 10th from our preparative meetings and those
selected comprising our present state which we forward to
next Quarterly Meeting to be held at Greenwich by Electa Ja
Collins and Mary P. Babcock who are appointed our repres
tatives to said meeting. This meeting concludes purposin
to meet next month at this place if permitted.
Dorcas G. Babcock
Assistant Clerk.

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women friends
held at Western 2nd mo 26th 1872. Preparative accounts pres
the representatives therein named are Ruth Ann Collins, Harr
S. Collins, Lydia A. Gould, and Mary Ann Gould, whose na
being called are present except one who was prevented by
indisposition. We are informed that one of the representativ
to Quarterly Meeting attended the other was prevented by
sickness. This Meeting concluded purposing to
meet next month at this place if permitted.
Anna A. Gould Clerk

At South Kingstown Monthly Meeting of women
friends held at Western 3rd month 25th 1872.
Preparative accounts present the representatives
therein named are Electa Jane Collins, Harriet S.
Collins from Hopkinton; Mary P. Babcock, and Dorcas
G. Babcock from South Kingstown whose names being
called one only is present, the others were prevented by
illness. We conclude purposing to meet next
month at Peacedale if permitted.
Dorcas [illegible]
Clerk for the day.

To S.o Kingston Mo. Meeting Friends

Dear Friends

We have received a communication from you signifying the right of membership of Hannah Robinson, and requesting our care towards her, we may inform you that we have taken the subject into consideration, and in a view of her state, and our situation, we are fully of the opinion, that it would be better for you to extend such care as may be needful on her account. We therefore request you would take back the communication forwarded to us, and let her remain a member of your Meeting, particularly, as we understand, she does not consider herself as removed. We may further add, that it is our opinion she would be in a much more guarded situation, to return and reside in some family within the limits of your Meeting

Signed in and on behalf of Rhode Island Monthly Meeting held at Portsmouth 31st of 8th mo. 1826.

by David Rodman Clerk
Hannah Gould Jun Clerk for the day

To South-Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends

There having been presented to this Meeting a Certificate from So. Kingston Monthly Meeting in favor of Martha Healy; which not being satisfactory, as there is nothing express,d in said Certificate regarding her life and conversation, which we consider Discipline requires should be express,d, and she not having attended any of our Meetings since she has resided within the limits of this Meeting the Clerk is directed to return said Certificate with a copy of this minute

Extracted from the minutes of Greenwich Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held 10th mo 2nd 1826

by Maria T. Hudson, Clerk

To South Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends

Dear Friends

There having been presented to this Meeting a [illegible] from South Kingston Mo. Meeting bearing date 9th mo 28th 1826 [illegible] of Hannah Healy which not being satisfactory as she does not acknowledge that to be her true name and not having attended any of our Meetings since she has resided within the limits of this we think best to return said Certificate

Extracted from the minutes of Greenwich Mo. Meeting of Women Friends held 12th mo 4th 1826

by Maria T Hudson Clerk

The following Minute of the Yearly Meeting of London, held in the 5th month, 1828, accompanied its Epistle to this Meeting :

> " This Meeting has directed that all Certificates of removals, issued by our Monthly Meetings to Friends on the continent of America, be forwarded by the Meeting which issues them, to their correspondents in London, in order to their being by them transmitted to America ; and this Meeting suggests, to the several Yearly Meetings of Friends in America, the propriety of their directing that certificates, on behalf of Friends removing to within the compass of this Yearly Meeting, be forwarded to the care of the correspondents in or near London, who are appointed by this Meeting for the respective Yearly Meetings on the American continent."

And it is our conclusion, that all Certificates and other documents issued by our subordinate Meetings, and addressed to the Meetings of Friends in Great Britain and Ireland, be transmitted by the Meetings issuing them, to one of the correspondents of this Yearly Meeting, (who are Moses Brown, William Almy, Abraham Shearman, Jr. and Stephen Gould,) to be forwarded by them to the correspondents of the Yearly Meetings of London and Ireland.

From the Minutes of the Yearly Meeting aforesaid,

ABRAHAM SHEARMAN, Jr. *Clerk.*

CORRESPONDENTS OF OHIO YEARLY MEETING.

Redstone Quarter——George Smith, *East Bethlehem, Washington County, Penn.*
David Cattle, *Brownsville, Fayette do. do.*
Joshua Cope, *Providence, do. do. do.*
Short Creek Quarter——Isaac Parker, *Mountpleasant, Jefferson County, Ohio.*
Benj. W. Ladd, *Smithfield, do. do. do.*
Joseph Williams, *Flushing, Belmont do. do.*
Salem Quarter——William Heald, *Fairfield, Columbiana do. do.*
John Street, *Salem, do. do. do.*
Samuel Woolman, *do. do. do. do.*
Demsy Johnson, *do. do. do. do.*
Still Water Quarter——William Green, *Barnsville, Belmont County, do.*
Joseph Edgerton, *do. do. do. do.*
Samuel Embree, *M'Connelsville, Morgan do. do.*
New Garden Quarter——John Johnson, *New Garden, Columbiana do. do.*
Levi Miller, *Hanover, do. do. do.*
David Hole, *Fairfield, do. do. do.*

CORRESPONDENTS OF INDIANA YEARLY MEETING.

Miami Quarter——Robert Furnace, *Waynesville, Warren County, Ohio.*
John Garretson, *Springborough, do. do. do.*
William Benedict, *Bennington, Delaware do. do.*
John Davis, *Cincinnati, do.*
Henry Pickerel, *Zanesfield, Logan do. do.*
Elijah Anderson, *Charleston, Clark do. do.*
West Branch Quarter——Samuel Teague, Samuel Jay, Samuel Jones, } *Union, Miami do. do.*
Fairfield Quarter——Richard Barrett, *Hillsborough, Highland do. do.*
Gershom Perdue, *Leesburgh, do. do. do.*
James Hadley, *Wilmington, Clinton do. do.*
White-Water Quarter——Stephen Macy, *Richmond, Wayne County, Indiana.*
Elijah Coffin, *Milton, do. do. do.*
John Marshall, *Economy, do. do. do.*
Blue River Quarter——Nathaniel Newlin, *Rockville, Park do. do.*
Joel Dixon, *Mooresville, Morgan do. do.*
Henry Wilson, *Salem, Washington do. do.*
Richard Hayworth, *Newport, Vermillion do. do.*
New Garden Quarter——Francis Thomas, *New Garden, Wayne do. do.*
Jonathan Johnson, *do. do. do. do.*
Benjamin Cox, *Winchester, Randolph do. do.*
Westfield Quarter——Thomas Talbert, *Jacksonburgh, Butler do. do.*
Joseph Stubbs, *Newcome, Preble do. do.*
William Talbert, *Liberty, Union do. do.*
Centre Quarter——Caleb Harvey, Joseph Doan, jr. David Bailey, } *Wilmington, Clinton do. do.*

CORRESPONDENTS OF NEW-YORK YEARLY MEETING.

WESTBURY QUARTERLY MEETING.

		Post Office Address.
New-York Monthly Meeting,	William F. Mott,	*New York.*
Flushing "	Samuel Parsons,	*Flushing, Queens County, N. Y.*
Westbury & Jerico "	Thomas Willis,	*Jerico, do. do.*

PURCHASE QUARTERLY MEETING.

Purchase Monthly Meeting,	Richard Mott,	*Mamaroneck, Westchester County, N. Y.*
Amawalk "	Stephen Brown,	*Peekskill, do. do.*
Shapaqua "	Elihu Griffen,	*Mount Pleasant, do. do.*

NINE PARTNERS QUARTERLY MEETING.

Nine Partners Monthly Meeting,	Isaac Thorne,	*Washington, Duchess County, N. Y.*
Oblong "	William Leach,	*Sherman, Fairfield do. Conn.*
Oswego "	Enoch Dorland,	*Arthursburg, Duchess do. N. Y.*

EASTON QUARTERLY MEETING.

East Hoosack Monthly Meeting,	John Upton,	*North Adams, Berkshire County, Mass.*
Danby "	Harris Otis,	*Danby, Rutland do. Vermont.*

STANFORD QUARTERLY MEETING.

Creek Monthly Meeting,	Reuben Howes,	*Poughkeepsie, Duchess County, N. Y.*
Stanford "	John F. Hull,	*Stanfordville, do. do.*
Hudson "	Isaac Lyons,	*Federal Store, Columbia do. do.*

FERRISBURGH QUARTERLY MEETING.

Ferrisburgh Monthly Meeting,	John Knowles,	*Monkton, Addison County, Vermont.*
Starksborough "	Amos Battey,	*Starksborough, do. do.*
Peru "	David Harkness,	*Keeseville, Essex do. N. Y.*

CANADA HALF YEAR'S MEETING.

Westlake Monthly Meeting,	Gilbert Dorland,	*Hallowell, Prince Edward County, Upper Canada.*
Leeds and Adolphus "	John Ferris,	*Kingston,* do.
Yonge Street "	Thomas Linville,	*New Market,* do.
Pelham "	Joseph King,	*Thorold, Deep Cut,* do.
Norwich "	Frederic Stover,	*Burford, Oxford County,* do.

FARMINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING.

Collins Monthly Meeting,	John Strang,	*Lodi, Cataragus County, New York.*
Hamburgh "	James Sherman,	*East Hamburgh, Erie County, do.*
Hartland "	Nathan Comstock,	*Lockport, Niagara do. do.*
Farmington "	Isaac Hathaway,	*New Salem, Ontario do. do.*
Rochester "	Mead Atwater,	*Rochester, Monroe do. do.*

SARATOGA QUARTERLY MEETING.

Queensbury Monthly Meeting,	James Mott,	*Clarksboro, Saratoga do. do.*
Milton "	James Allen,	*Greenfield, do. do. do.*
Galway "	Wing Chace,	*Providence, do. do. do.*
Le Roy "	Daniel Child,	*LeRoy, Jefferson do. do.*
Low Ville "	Ebenezer Hill,	*Lowville, Lewis do. do.*
Saratoga "	Paul Kirby,	*Halfmoon, Sarotoga, do. do.*

DUANESBURGH QUARTERLY MEETING.

Coeyman's Monthly Meeting,	Samuel T. Powell,	*Coxsackie, Green do. do.*
Rensellaerville "	Peter Stover,	*Rensellaerville, Albany do. do.*
Duanesburgh "	Jonathan Soule,	*Duanesburgh, Schenectady do. do.*
Butternuts "	Edward Cornell,	*Butternuts, Otsego do. do.*
Bridgewater "	Obadiah Williams,	*Bridgewater, Oneida do. do.*

CORNWALL QUARTERLY MEETING.

Cornwall Monthly Meeting,	Jabez Greene,	*Canterbury, do. do.*
Marlborough "	Daniel Birdsall,	*Newburgh, do. do. do.*
Plains "	Isaiah Tilson,	*Hurley, Ulster do. do.*

SCIPIO QUARTERLY MEETING.

Deruyter Monthly Meeting,	James Derbyshire,	*Deruyter, Madison do. do.*
Scipio "	Humphrey Howland,	*Aurora, Cayuga do. do.*
Hector "	WilliamCarman,	*Trumansburgh, Tompkins do. do.*

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held on Rhode Island, from the 14th to the 18th inclusive, of the 6th month, 1829.

The Committee on the state of Society, to which was referred Minutes of the Yearly Meetings of London, New-York, Baltimore, Ohio, and Indiana, received at this time, have given attention to the subject, and considered it in connection with the relation in which we stand towards the other Yearly Meetings of Friends in this country, and propose the adoption of the following Minutes, which being read and considered, are united with, and copies thereof directed to be forwarded to our several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings; and also to be transmitted to the several Yearly Meetings with which we correspond.

This Meeting having last year been introduced into much exercise, on account of the difficulties which had then been manifested in our religious Society, in various sections of this country, and which had prevailed till separation had been the sorrowful result, deemed it an indispensable duty to meet the exigencies of the occasion, by declaring our unity with those Meetings that had continued steadfast in their adherence to the ancient order, discipline, and faith of the Society, and our disunity with those who had receded therefrom.

We feel it to be our duty, again to advert to this painful subject, and to state to our subordinate Meetings, that not only within the limits of the Yearly Meetings of Pennsylvania and New-York, (to which reference was had in our minute of last year,) but also within those of Baltimore, Ohio and Indiana, separate bodies exist, under the name of Yearly Meetings of Friends, with Quarterly, Monthly, and other Meetings in connection with them, which are not in fellowship with us as a religious community.

In consequence of the embarassments and mistakes to which Friends are exposed by the separatists thus continuing to take the name and character of Friends, the Yearly Meetings of New-York, Ohio, and Indiana, in acknowledged unity with us, have been induced to furnish the names of Correspondents appointed by them in their several Quarterly Meetings, one or more of whom is to sign, (in addition to the usual mode of signing,) all removal or other certificates or documents, issued, which are to go beyond the limits of their respective Quarterly Meetings.—And in order that certificates may duly reach the meetings to which they are directed, it is recommended by them, that they be forwarded to one of those Friends.

BALTIMORE YEARLY MEETING has directed, that to the names of all the Meetings of every description, within the compass of their Yearly Meeting, the following words be added: "*In unity with the ancient Yearly Meetings of Friends;*" and have appointed Isaac Brooks, James Gillingham, and Nicholas Popplein, residing in the city of Baltimore, a Committee, one of whom is to sign, in addition to the usual signature of the Clerk, all Minutes or Certificates issued by Monthly or Quarterly Meetings for any of their Ministers or Members.

Mary Wings Certificate

From our Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Smithfield 8
Month 30th 1810. To South-kingstown Monthly Meeting of Frein

Our Esteemed Friend Mary Wing informed us, tha
ſhe was about to remove to live within the Verge of yo
Meeting, and requested our Certificate; these Lines are t
Certify on her behalf, that ſhe is a member of this
Meeting, of an examplary life and conversation, a dilige
attender of Meetings, and an Elder in good Esteem wi
us, and has settled her outward affairs to satisfactio
We recommend her to your Chistion care and Sympath
Signed by direction and on behalf of our above said
Meeting by - - - - - - Alice Rathbun Clerk

To Swanzey Mo. Meeting

Dear Friends Our friend Ann Wilbur having removed to live with her husband within the limits of your Mo. Meeting requests our Certificate. these are to certify on her behalf that she is a member of this of orderly life and conversation as far as appears we recommend her to your notice and attention and are your friends

Signed on beh
of S. Kingston Mo. Meeting held 25th of 5th mo 1826
by Timothy C Collins
Elizabeth Peckham

From our monthly Meeting of women Friends held at East Greenwich 8mo-5-1805 To the monthly Meeting of Women Friends at SouthKingston Dear Friends

— ~ —— The within named Mary Carpenter produced your Certificate to us and for A Time Resided within the Verge of our monthly Meeting dureing which Time she Retained her Right of Membership and was in A good Degree Careful in the attendance of Meetings when way opened with desires she may walk in wisdom and share the Love and esteem of her friends we Conclude and Remain your Friends — Signed no behalf of said Meeting by Mary Brown Clerk

From the monthly Meeting of Friends held at Somerset for Swansy 5th Mo 4 1807
To the monthly Meeting of Friends at SouthKingston ——
Dear Friends

Sophia Sisson wife of James Sisson Having removed within the verge of your Meeting and Request our Certificate, theas are to Certify on her behalf, that She is A Member of our Meeting in a good degree of an orderly Life and Conversation and we believe attended meetings as often as her Retirate situation and Circumstances of her family would admit so such we Recommend her to your Christian Care we are your Friends
Signed ~~on~~ on behalf of the Meeting

By Mary Earl
Daniel Brayton } Clerks

From our monthly Meeting of Friends held at Portsmouth for Rhode Island 8 Mo 31st — 1809
To the monthly Meeting of SouthKingston
Dear Friends

Susanna Knowles wife of Henery Knowles being about to remove with her Husband to live within the limits of your meeting requested our Certificate, We hereby Certify that she is a member of our Religious Society in a good degree of an orderly Life and Conversation and diligent in the attendance of Meetings; with desires for her growth and Establishment in the truth we recommend her to your Christian care and attention and remain your Friends Signed on behalf of the Mo Meeting by

Benjamin Freeborn Clerk
Hannah Gould

Denial of Deborah Congd

Whereas Deborah Congdon of Southkingston hath h
a right of membership with us in our Religious Society
But hath tranſgreſs.d the rules thereof by keeping Comp
on account of marriage with a young man not of our Soc
We therefore Deny her of being any longer a member of ou
Religious Society until she Shall return and Make —
Sattisfaction for her Said Tranſgreſsion given fourth by
Direction of our Monthly Meeting of Women friends
At Richmond for Southkingston th 26 of 4 mo 1795.

Signed by Ruth Rodman Clerk

Sarah Congdons Certificate

From our Monthly Meeting held at Cranston
For Greenwich the 8 of the 9 mo 1794
To the Monthly Meeting of Southkingston

Dear Friends
Sarah Congdon Wife of Charles ha
Removed within the verge of your Monthly Meeti
And requests our Certificate for her Self and four Child
Namely Bathsheba william Mary and Joseph we Certif
on their behalf that they are members of this Meeting
By Virtue of a Certificate from Rhodeisland Monthly
Meeting as Such we recommend them to your Christia
Care and oversight with Desires for their increas in Rel
Ious Experience Signed in & by Direction of Sd Meeting

by Anna Greene Clerk

Thos Howland Clerk

Sarah Davis Certificate

From our Monthly meeting of women friends held
At Smithfield for Providence 27 of the 2 mo 1799
To the Monthly Meeting of Women friends at Southk
Dear Friends Sarah Davis Daughter of moses Davis being
About to Remove with her father to live within th
Compaſs of your Monthly Meeting and requests our Ce
Tificate this may inform She is a member of our Socie
And ~ nothing appears but She is Clear of Marria
Ingagements as Such we recommend her to your Christia
Care and oversight with desires for her Preservation an
furtherance in the truth we are your friends and sisters
Signed in and on behalf of the above Sd Meeting by Abigail Arnold Cl

Mary

From So Kingston Monthly Meeting of
Women Friends Held at Richmond the 1 day of 6th mo 1799
To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at Smithfield
Beloved Friends these May Inform that Mary Wing Has Removed to
Live Within the Verge of Your Monthly Meeting and Requests our Certifi-
cate These May therefore Certify on her Behalf that she
is a Member of our Monthly Meeting and an Elder in Good Esteem
Among us and a Diligent attender of Meetings, and that her outward affairs
are Settled to satisfaction. We therfor Recommend her to your Christ-
ian Care With desires for her furtherence in the Truth
Signed in and By direction of our above said Meeting
By Sarah Wilbur Clerk

Anna Reynolds Certificate

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends
Held at East Greenwich 7 of 4th mo 1794
To the Monthly Meeting of Women Friends at Southkin
Dear Friends Anna Reynolds wife of
Jonathan Reynolds with their Daughders Mary Elizab
Abigail and Dorcas are members of this Meeting and
upon Inquiry Donot find but that they were Clear of
Marriage Ingagements with us and as they are now Remov
Within the verge of your Monthly Meeting we Recommen
Them to your Christian Care and oversight with Desires for
Their Growth in the truth and Conclude your friends Sign
In and by Direction of Sd Meeting by Anna Green Clerk

Hannah Gardner acknoledgement

Ransilerville 16 of 5th mo 1796
To the Monthly meeting of Women Friends to be held at
Richmond or Southkingston Dear friends haveing an oppor
tunity to rite to you to let you know that I Still Desire to
Be restoared to unity with friends and that they would pass
By that Which broak the unity and restore me to Member
Ship again with you their is a Monthly Meeting of friends
In About 15 Mildes from hear Every other month it is
Cauls quemans and Hudson Monthly Meeting I
Conclude with love to you Hannah Gardner

Sarah Robinsons Certificate

From So Kingston Monthly Meeting of Women Friends he
at Richmond the 1 Day of the 1 Month 1798
To the Monthly Meeting of friends on Rhode Island

Dear Friends in Love We Salute You and inform that Sarah Robinson hath Removd to Live Within the Verge of Your Mo Meeting and Requests our Certificate therefore these may Certif on her behalf that She is a Member of oure Monthly Meeting and of an orderly Life and Conversation and Generally attended Meetings When of ability of body and by Inquery it appears that her outward affairs are Settled to Satisfaction as Such We Recommend her to Your Christian Care and oversigh With Desires for her Growth and preservation in the Truth
Signed in and by Direction of our afore said Meeting
By Sarah Wilbur Clerk

Hannah Gardners Certificate

From So Kingston Mo Meeting of Women Friends held at Rich Mond State of Rhode Island the 26th of 3d Mo 1798
To the Mo Meeting of friends at Hudson State of Newyork these are to inform that Hannah Gardne Wife of Wilkinson Gardner Who now Resides Within th Verge of Your Meeting is a Member of our Mo Meeti as Such We Recommend her to Your Care With a Desir She may be preserved in Welldoin doing
Signed in and by Direction of our above said Meet
By { Thomas Wilbur
Sarah Wilbur } Clerks

Mary Hazards Certificate

From our Mo Meeting of Friends held at Hopkinton for South Kingston the 26 Day of the 11th Mo 1798
To the Monthly Meeting of friends at Easton

Dear Friends these may inform that Marry Hazard Wife of Caleb Hazard has Removd Within the Verge of Your Monthly Meeti and Requests our Certificate
These may Certify on her behalf that She is a Member of our Monthly Meeting and as Such We Recomend her to Your Care and oversight
Signed in and by Direction of our above sd Meeting
by { Thomas Wilbur
Sarah Wilbur } Clerk

Elizabeth Healy Removal Certifi-cate to Providence

From our Monthly Meeting of Women Friends held [illegible]
on the 29 day of the 5 Mo 1797 —
To the Monthly-meeting of Women at Providence

Dear Friends these May Inform that Elizabeth Healy Hath Remov[ed] to Live Within the Verge of Your Monthly-meeting and Request[s] our Certificate, Wherefore these May Certify ~~that~~ on her Behalf that She is a Member of our Monthly-meeting, and by Enquiry we do not Find but that her outward affairs are Settled to Satisfaction and Clear of Marriage Engagements, as Such we Recommend her to your Christian Care and Overfight With desire for her Growth in the and

Signed in and by directions of our afore said Meeting
By Sarah Wilbur Clerk

Sarah and Mary Scott Certifi-cate to Rhode Island

From our Monthly Meeting of Women friends held at So Kingston
the 28th of 6th Mo 1797
To the Monthly Meeting of Women friends on Rhode Island

Dear Friends these may Certify that Sarah and Mary Scott (Doughters of Jobe and Eunice Scott Deceased) Who now Resides With you are Members of this Meeting as Such We Recommend them to your Care Desireing they may be preserved in Innocency and Simplicity —
Signed by Direction of our above said Meeting By Sarah Wilbur Clerk

[illegible] Certificate

To the Mo Meeting of friends at Richmond
Dear Friends, Whereas Sarah Knowles is about to Remove Within the Verge of your Mo Meeting and Requests our Certificate these may Certify on her behalf that She is a Member of [illegible] Meeting has settled her outward affairs to Satisfaction [illegible] to be Clear of Marriage Engagements and is a Dilige[nt] attender of Meetings as Such We Recommend her to your Care With Desires for her Growth and Establishment in the truth from our Mo Meeting held at Hop[illegible]
So Kingston the 25th of 9th Mo 1797
Signed by Direction of our said Meeting
By Sarah Wilbur Clerk

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